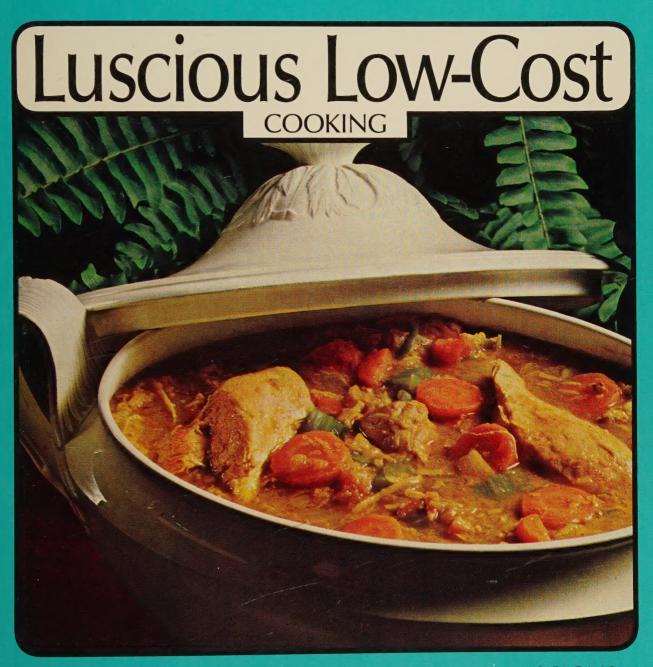
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# McCall's Luscious Low-Cost



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## CHEDDAR-CHEESE SOUP

4 tablespoons margarine 1/4 cup finely chopped onion 1/2 cup finely chopped green pepper 1/2 cup finely chopped carrot 5 tablespoons all-

purpose flour

3 cans (103/4-oz size)

broth, undiluted

condensed chicken

- 3 cups grated sharp natural Cheddar cheese (3/4 lb) 2 cups milk 1/4 teaspoon salt Dash pepper 1/2 cup croutons (optional) Chopped parsley
- 1. In hot margarine in 3-quart saucepan, cook onion, green pepper and carrot 10 minutes, stirring occasionally.
- 2. Remove from heat; stir in flour, and mix well. Cook one minute, stirring constantly.
- 3. Add broth to vegetable mixture. Bring to boiling, stirring constantly.
- 4. Gradually stir in cheese; cook over medium heat, stirring until cheese has melted. Gradually add milk. Season with salt and pepper. Bring just to boiling, but do not boil.
- 5. Serve with croutons, and sprinkle with the parsley.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

## HEARTY BEEF-AND-VEGETABLE SOUP

- 2-lb shin of beef Large marrowbone 1 tablespoon salt 4 quarts water
- 4 cups thinly sliced cabbage (1 lb)
- 11/2 cups chopped onion 6 carrots, pared and cut
- in 3-inch pieces (1/2 lb) 3/4 cup chopped celery
- 1/4 cup chopped green pepper
- 1 can (1 lb, 12 oz)
- tomatoes, undrained 1 pkg (10 oz) frozen lima beans

- 1 pkg (9 oz) frozen cut green beans
- 1 pkg (10 oz) frozen peas
- 1 can (12 oz) whole-kernel corn, drained
- 1 potato, pared and cubed (1 cup)
- 2 tablespoons chopped parslev
- 1 can (6 oz) tomato paste
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cloves
- 1 teaspoon sugar
- 1 tablespoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper
- 1. Place beef, marrowbone, 1 tablespoon salt and 4 quarts water in very large kettle. Cover; bring to boiling. Skim surface.

- 2. Add cabbage, onion, carrot, celery, green pepper and tomatoes.
- 3. Bring to boiling; simmer, covered, 30 minutes.
- 4. Add remaining ingredients; simmer, covered.  $3^{1/2}$  hours.
- 5. Remove meat and any marrow from bone; discard bone.
- 6. Let meat cool. Cut into cubes; add to soup. Refrigerate overnight.
- 7. Next day: Remove and discard all fat from surface. Before serving, slowly heat soup to boiling. (Store leftover soup, covered, in refrigerator.) MAKES 61/2 QUARTS

## OLD-FASHIONED CHICKEN SOUP

- 31/2-lb stewing chicken, cut up 5 cups water 21/2 teaspoons salt 1/s teaspoon pepper 1/4 teaspoon dried basil
- 1 bay leaf 4 medium carrots 1/2 lb small white onions 1 cup fine noodles. uncooked 1 tablespoon finely chopped parsley
- 1. Wash chicken. Place in large kettle, and cover with 5 cups water. Add seasonings.
- 2. Simmer, covered, 1½ hours, or until chicken is iust tender.
- 3. While chicken is cooking, prepare vegetables: Wash carrots; peel; cut in 1-inch chunks. Wash and peel onions.
- 4. When chicken is done, remove it, along with bay leaf, from stock. Skim off as much fat as possible from stock.
- 5. Bring back to boiling. Add carrots and onions; simmer 45 minutes.
- 6. While vegetables are cooking, remove skin and bones from chicken, leaving chicken in large pieces. Save the scraps for sandwiches or salad.
- 7. Ten minutes before vegetables are done, add noodles and chicken pieces. Cook 10 minutes
- 8. Sprinkle with parsley. MAKES 4 SERVINGS



## FRENCH OXTAIL SOUP

3 lb oxtails, cut up 3 tablespoons butter or margarine Water

2 cans (101/2-oz size) condensed beef consommé, undiluted

2 teaspoons salt

2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce

1 teaspoon dried thyme leaves

1 teaspoon dried tarragon leaves 6 black peppercorns

1 bay leaf

1 clove garlic, crushed

1 egg white

2 cups diced white turnip (3/4 lb)

11/2 cups diced pared carrot (4 medium)

11/2 cups sliced celery 1 cup chopped onion

1/2 cup sherry or Madeira Chopped parsley

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

1. Wipe oxtails with damp paper towels.

2. In hot butter in deep, 6-quart kettle, slowly brown oxtails on all sides - about 30 minutes.

3. Add 1 quart water, the consommé, salt, Worcestershire, thyme, tarragon, peppercorns, bay leaf and garlic; bring to boiling. Reduce heat and simmer, covered, 3½ hours. Remove kettle from

4. Remove oxtails with slotted spoon, and cut off excess fat. If desired, take meat off bones. Refrigerate, covered.

5. Strain broth. Refrigerate, covered, until chilled - several hours or overnight.

6. About 2 hours before serving, skim fat from broth. Slightly beat egg white with 2 tablespoons water. Add with crushed eggshell to cold stock in large saucepan. Bring to boiling, stirring constantly; boil 2 minutes. Remove from heat; add 1 cup cold water: let broth stand 30 minutes. Then strain into a large kettle.

7. Add oxtails or meat, turnip, carrot, celery and onion; bring to boiling. Reduce heat and simmer. covered, 30 minutes, or until vegetables are just tender.

8. Add sherry; simmer 15 minutes longer. Pour into soup tureen or individual bowls. Garnish with parslev.

MAKES ABOUT 21/2 QUARTS; 8 SERVINGS

## FRENCH ONION SOUP

1/3 cup bacon drippings or butter

5 medium yellow onions (about 11/4 lb), thinly sliced, to make 5 cups

2 tablespoons allpurpose flour

7 cups beef stock; or 3 cans (101/2-oz size) condensed beef consommé, diluted with 2 cans water

1/2 teaspoon salt

1/4 teaspoon pepper

1/4 cup sherry

6 slices French bread (1 inch thick), toasted

6 thin slices Gruvere or Swiss cheese

1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese

1. In a heavy 5-quart saucepan or Dutch oven, heat bacon drippings. Add onion; sauté, stirring frequently, over low heat until golden-brown - about 20 minutes.

2. Stir in flour; cook, stirring, to brown flour slightly. Gradually add stock, stirring. Add salt and pepper. Cook over low heat, covered, 30 minutes. Add

sherry: taste for seasoning.

3. In six heatproof bowls, place a slice of toast; cover each with a slice of cheese; pour soup over top. Sprinkle each with Parmesan cheese. Run under broiler just to melt cheese.



## OLD-FASHIONED SPLIT-PEA SOUP

11/2 cups quick-cooking split green peas

1 quart water

21/2-lb fully cooked ham shank

2/3 cup coarsely chopped onion

1/4 cup cut-up carrot

1/2 cup coarsely chopped

2 parsley sprigs 1 clove garlic

1 bay leaf

1/2 teaspoon sugar

1/a teaspoon dried thyme leaves

1/8 teaspoon pepper 1 can (133/4 oz) chicken broth

1. In 3½-quart kettle, combine peas and 1 quart water; bring to boiling. Reduce heat; simmer. covered, 45 minutes. Add more water if necessary. 2. Add ham shank and rest of ingredients; simmer,

covered. 11/2 hours.

3. Remove ham shank from soup; cool; cut ham from bone; dice. Discard bay leaf.

4. Press vegetables and liquid through coarse sieve.

5. Return to kettle. Add ham; reheat slowly, uncovered, until thoroughly hot - 15 minutes. MAKES 8 SERVINGS

## YELLOW-SPLIT-PEA SOUP WITH HAM HOCKS

1 lb quick-cooking split yellow or green peas (2 cups)

3 quarts water

1/8 lb salt pork or bacon, coarsely chopped (about 1/3 cup)

1/2 cup coarsely chopped green onion

11/2 cups coarsely chopped celery

1 cup coarsely chopped

4 (8-oz size) smoked ham hocks

2 parsley sprigs

1 bay leaf

1/8 teaspoon dried rosemary leaves

2 teaspoons salt

1 tablespoon chopped parsley

- 1. In a 6-quart kettle, combine peas and 3 quarts water. Bring to boiling; reduce heat and simmer, covered, 45 minutes.
- 2. Meanwhile, in small skillet, sauté salt pork several minutes. Add green onion, celery and onion; sauté, stirring, until onion is golden takes about 5 minutes.
- 3. Wipe ham hocks with damp paper towels. Add to kettle along with salt pork and sautéed vegetables, parsley sprigs, bay leaf, rosemary and 2 teaspoons salt. Bring back to boiling; reduce heat and simmer, covered, 2 hours, or until ham hocks are tender and meat begins to fall off bones. Remove from heat.
- 4. With slotted utensil, lift out ham hocks to cool. Remove meat from the bones; discard the skin, fat and bones.
- 5. If necessary, skim fat from soup. Put soup with vegetables through coarse sieve, pureéing vegetables.
- 6. Pour back into kettle. Add meat from ham hocks; reheat slowly, stirring occasionally, until heated through. Add salt to taste; heat the soup 5 minutes longer.

7. Sprinkle with the chopped parsley. MAKES ABOUT 3 QUARTS

## THICK LENTIL SOUP

1 cup dried lentils 1 tablespoon salt 4 cups water 1/2 teaspoon dried thyme leaves 1/2 teaspoon dried marjoram leaves

4 large onions, finely

chopped 4 carrots, pared and

cubed

1/4 cup salad or olive oil
 1/4 cup chopped parsley
 2 fresh or canned tomatoes
 2 tablespoons dry sherry
 1/4 cup grated Swiss or Gruyere cheese

- 1. Wash lentils. In 4-quart kettle, combine lentils and 4 cups water; let stand 1 hour.
- 2. Add salt, thyme and marjoram; bring to boiling; reduce heat and simmer, covered, 1 hour.
- 3. Meanwhile, slowly cook onion and carrot in hot oil until soft 10 to 15 minutes. Add to lentils with parsley, tomatoes and sherry. Simmer, covered, about 1 hour, or until lentils are tender.
- 4. To serve: Sprinkle cheese over top of soup, or put 1 or 2 tablespoons grated cheese in each bowl; spoon lentil soup over top.

MAKES 8 TO 10 SERVINGS



## CHILLED GREEN-PEA SOUP

2 pkg (10-oz size) frozen green peas 1/2 cup finely chopped green onion 1/2 teaspoon salt Dash ground nutmeg 3/4 cup water
1 can (10³/4 oz)
condensed chicken
broth, undiluted
1/2 cup heavy cream

- 1. In medium saucepan, combine peas, onion, salt, nutmeg, and  $\frac{3}{4}$  cup water. Bring to boiling; reduce heat, and simmer, covered, 15 minutes, or until peas are very tender.
- 2. Pour peas with liquid into electric blender. Cover, and blend at low speed to mix, then at high speed 1 minute, or until smooth. Stir in chicken broth.
- 3. Refrigerate, covered, until well chilled at least 4 hours.
- 4. To serve: Stir in cream. Pour into chilled bouillon cups. Sprinkle with snipped chives, if desired. MAKES 6 SERVINGS

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## HEARTY VEGETABLE-BEAN SOUP Pictured (pages 50-51)

1/2 lb dried white beans
(Great Northern type)
11/2 lbs zucchini
3 medium white turnips
(1 lb)
1 large potato
6 medium carrots (1 lb)
2 celery stalks with
leaves
2 onions
61/2 cups water
1 onion, studded with 4
whole cloves
1 whole bay leaf

1 can (1 lb, 1 oz) whole tomatoes, undrained 1 tablespoon dried basil leaves 1/s teaspoon dried hot red pepper 11/2 tablespoons salt 1 kielbasa (1 lb), in one piece 2 tablespoons olive or

salad oil 2 tablespoons chopped parsley

- 1. Day before, soak beans overnight in cold water to cover.
- 2. Next day, drain beans in colander; rinse under cold water.
- 3. Prepare vegetables: Dice zucchini; pare and dice turnips and potato. Pare carrots; slice thinly; slice celery. Coarsely chop 2 onions.
- 4. Turn beans into a 6-quart Dutch oven with 6½ cups water; bring to boiling over medium heat.
- 5. Add prepared vegetables and remaining ingredients, except kielbasa, oil and parsley. Bring back to boiling; reduce heat and simmer, covered, 2½ hours, or until beans are tender; add about ½ cup water during cooking, if necessary. Add whole kielbasa last half hour of cooking.
- 6. To serve, remove and discard onion with cloves and the bay leaf. Cut up kielbasa; return to soup. Stir in oil. Taste for seasoning. Sprinkle with parsley. MAKES 4½ QUARTS

## KAPUSTA (Hot Cabbage Soup)

2-lb head of cabbage, shredded (10 cups) 2 tablespoons salt 1/2 teaspoon white pepper

2 cans (1-lb size) tomato purée 8 peeled small whole

1 cup chopped onion 11/2 quarts water 11/2 lb beef chuck (flanken-style ribs)

potatoes (2 lb) 1 teaspoon sour salt (optional) 2 tablespoons sugar 2 cloves garlic, minced

1 large soupbone (21/2 lb)

1. In 6-quart kettle, combine cabbage, salt, pepper, onion and 1½ quarts water. Bring to boiling, covered. Add beef, soupbone and tomato purée. Bring to boiling; reduce heat and simmer, covered, 1 hour.

2. Add potatoes; simmer, covered, 1 hour.

3. Twenty minutes before end of cooking time, add sour salt and sugar. Refrigerate overnight. Skim off fat.

4. Next day, reheat gently. Five minutes before serving, add garlic.

5. To serve: Pour into tureen or individual bowls. Beef can be served separately or cut up and added to soup.

MAKES 21/2 QUARTS

## **BLACK-BEAN SOUP**

1 lb black beans 2 quarts water 1/4 cup salad oil 1 cup chopped celery

1/2 cup sherry 1 hard-cooked egg, chopped 1/2 cup chopped green

11/2 cups chopped onion 2 teaspoons salt 1/2 teaspoon pepper 1 bay leaf

pepper Sour cream Lime wedges

2 smoked ham hocks

(2 lb)

1. Wash beans; drain. In 8-quart kettle, combine beans and 2 quarts water; bring to boiling; boil 2 minutes. Remove from heat; let stand, covered, 1

2. Add the oil, celery, onion, salt, pepper, bay leaf and ham hocks. Bring to boiling; reduce heat; simmer, covered, 2 hours. Remove ham hocks. Discard bay leaf.

3. In food processor or blender, purée beans; return to kettle.

4. Remove meat from the cooked ham hocks; discard fat and bones. Add meat and sherry to kettle (add more water if necessary); simmer, stirring, until

5. Ladle soup into warm serving dishes; top each with chopped egg, green pepper and 1 tablespoon sour cream. Serve with lime wedges.

MAKES 2 QUARTS, 8 SERVINGS

## **CORN CHOWDER**

4 slices bacon, finely chopped 1 medium onion, thinly

sliced

4 cups cubed, pared potatoes (about 4 medium) 1 cup water

4 cups fresh corn kernels (see Note), cut from cob

1 cup heavy cream 1 teaspoon sugar 1/4 cup butter or margarine 21/2 teaspoons salt 1/4 teaspoon white pepper 2 cups milk

1. In large saucepan with cover, sauté bacon, over moderate heat, until golden.

2. Add onion, potatoes, and 1 cup water. Cover; bring to boiling, and simmer about 10 minutes, or until potatoes are tender but not mushy.

3. Remove cover, and set saucepan aside.

4. In medium saucepan with cover, combine corn, cream, sugar, and butter. Simmer, covered and over low heat, 10 minutes.

5. Add to potato mixture with remaining ingredients. Cook, stirring occasionally and over low heat, until heated through - do not boil. MAKES 8 TO 10 SERVINGS

Note: Or use 2 packages (10-oz size) frozen wholekernel corn, thawed.

## **MULLIGATAWNY SOUP** Pictured

chicken, cut up 1/3 cup unsifted allpurpose flour 1/3 cup butter or margarine 11/2 cups chopped onion 2 cups chopped carrot 2 cups chopped celery 11/2 cups chopped, pared tart apple 11/2 tablespoons curry powder

4- to 5-lb roasting

4 teaspoons salt 3/4 teaspoon ground mace 1/2 teaspoon pepper 1/4 teaspoon chili powder 3/4 cup canned flaked coconut 6 cups water 1 cup apple juice 1 cup light cream 11/2 cups hot cooked long-grain white rice

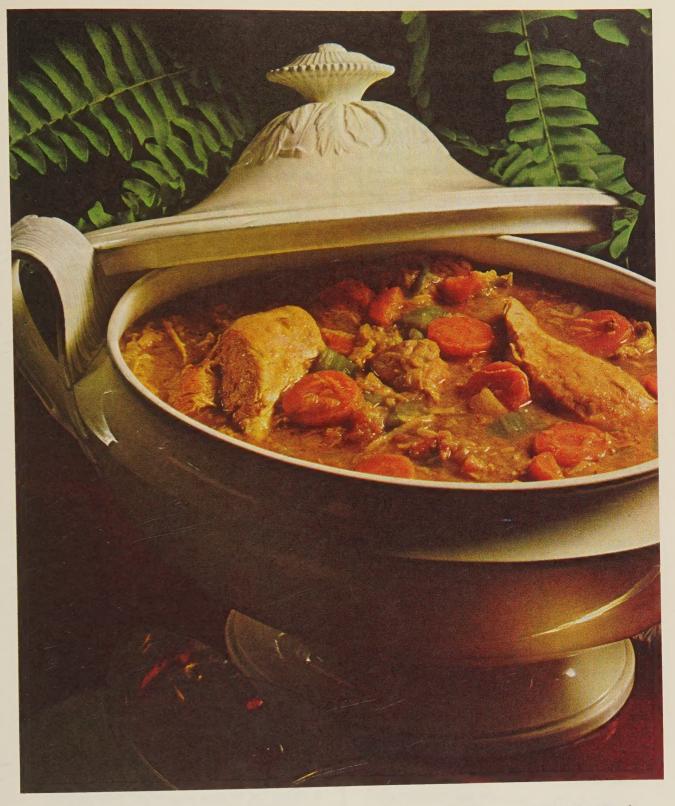
1/2 cup chopped parsley

1. Wash chicken; pat dry with paper towels. Roll chicken in flour, coating completely. Reserve remaining flour.

2. In hot butter in large kettle or Dutch oven, sauté chicken until well browned on all sides. Remove chicken from kettle, and set aside.

3. Add to kettle the onion, carrot, celery, apple and any remaining flour; cook, stirring, 5 minutes.

4. Add curry powder, salt, mace, pepper, chili powder, coconut, chicken and 6 cups cold water: mix well. Bring to boiling; reduce heat and simmer, covered, 2 hours. Stir occasionally. Remove from heat.



5. Skim fat from soup. Remove skin and bone from chicken. Cut chicken meat into large pieces.6. Return chicken to kettle, with apple juice and light cream. Reheat, stirring.

7. To serve: Place a heaping spoonful of rice in each of six to eight bowls. Add soup. Sprinkle with parsley. Makes  $2^{1/2}$  QUARTS; 6 TO 8 SERVINGS

## **GAZPACHO**

2 large tomatoes, peeled (13/4 lb)

1 large cucumber, pared and halved

1 medium onion, peeled and halved

1 medium green pepper, quartered and seeded 1 pimiento, drained

2 cans (12-oz size) tomato juice 1/3 cup olive or salad oil

1/3 cup red-wine vinegar 1/4 teaspoon hot redpepper sauce

11/2 teaspoons salt

1/8 teaspoon coarsely ground black pepper

2 cloves garlic, split 1/2 cup packaged

croutons

1/4 cup chopped chives

1. In electric blender, combine one tomato, half the cucumber, half the onion, a green-pepper quarter, the pimiento and 1/2 cup tomato juice. Blend, covered, at high speed 30 seconds, to purée the vegetables.

2. In large bowl, mix the puréed vegetables with remaining tomato juice, ½ cup olive oil, the vinegar, hot red-pepper sauce, salt and black pepper.

3. Refrigerate mixture, covered, until well chilled – about 2 hours. At the same time, refrigerate 6 serving bowls.

4. Meanwhile, rub inside of small skillet with garlic; reserve garlic. Add rest of oil; heat. Sauté croutons in oil until browned. Set aside until serving time.

5. Chop separately remaining tomato, cucumber, onion and green pepper. Place each of these, and the croutons, in separate bowls. Serve as accompaniments.

6. Just before serving time, crush reserved garlic. Add to chilled soup, mixing well. Sprinkle with chopped chives. Serve the gazpacho in chilled bowls. Everyone helps himself to the accompaniments.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## CHICKEN-BALL SOUP

## Chicken Balls

1 cup ground raw chicken (1/2 lb boned chicken breast)

2 tablespoons chopped parsley

1 tablespoon grated Parmesan cheese

1/2 cup packaged dry bread crumbs

1/4 teaspoon salt 1/4 teaspoon pepper

2 egg whites

2 tablespoons olive or salad oil

1 cup sliced mushrooms

1 cup sliced green onion 1 tablespoon lemon juice

1/2 teaspoon salt

1/4 teaspoon dried oregano leaves

1/4 teaspoon pepper

4 cans (133/4-oz size) chicken broth

1 cup broken spaghetti

2 tablespoons chopped parsley

1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese

1. **Make Chicken Balls:** In medium bowl, combine ground chicken with 2 tablespoons parsley, 1 tablespoon cheese, the bread crumbs, ½ teaspoon salt, ½ teaspoon pepper and the egg whites. Refrigerate, covered, 1 hour, or until firm enough to shape.

2. Shape into 1-inch balls. Refrigerate.

3. In hot oil in 6-quart Dutch oven, sauté mushrooms and onion, stirring, about 3 minutes.

4. Add lemon juice, salt, oregano and pepper; mix well

5. Add chicken broth; bring to boiling.

6. Gradually add chicken balls and spaghetti; cook, stirring occasionally, until chicken balls are done – about 10 minutes.

7. Serve garnished with chopped parsley and Parmesan cheese.

MAKES 21/2 QUARTS



## SAUERKRAUT SOUP

5 lb beef bones (marrowbone and knucklebone) 3 lb boneless shin beef

3 lb boneless shin beef 2 cups coarsely chopped

2 cups coarsely chopped carrot

3 cloves garlic

11/2 teaspoons dried thyme leaves

2 large bay leaves 31/2 quarts water 1 can (1 lb, 12 oz) tomatoes, undrained 12 cups thinly sliced cabbage (3 lb)

4 beef-bouillon cubes

1 tablespoon salt 1 teaspoon cracked black pepper

1/2 cup lemon juice 1/4 cup sugar (optional)

1 can (1 lb, 11 oz) sauerkraut, drained Sour cream

1. Preheat oven to 450F.

2. Place beef bones, shin beef, onion, carrot, garlic, thyme and bay leaves in a large, shallow roasting pan. Bake 15 minutes; stir with large spoon, and bake 15 minutes longer, or until meat is brown.

3. Transfer mixture to a 10- to 12-quart kettle. Add 3½ quarts water, the tomatoes, cabbage, bouillon cubes, salt, and pepper. Bring to boiling; skim off fat and foam.

4. Reduce heat, and simmer, covered, 2 hours, or until meat is tender. Remove bones and meat from soup. Discard bones. Cut meat into 1-inch cubes; return to soup.

5. Add lemon juice, sugar, and sauerkraut. Bring to boiling; reduce heat; simmer, covered, 1 hour longer. Skim off fat.

6. Serve hot, in large soup bowls. Pass the sour cream. (This soup freezes well.)
MAKES 6½ QUARTS: 20 SERVINGS



## FLANK STEAK ROULADE WITH LYONNAISE POTATOES

Flank-Steak Rolls
1 lb flank steak
6 slices bacon

1 cup sliced onion 1/2 teaspoon salt Dash pepper 1/4 teaspoon dried tarragon leaves

Lyonnaise Potatoes

1/4 cup salad oil

2 tablespoons butter or margarine

4 medium potatoes, pared and thinly sliced (about 11/4 lb) Chopped parsley

1. **Make Flank-Steak Rolls:** Wipe steak with damp paper towels. Pound steak thin with wooden mallet or edge of saucer. Slice crosswise, on the diagonal, into six equal strips.

2. In medium skillet, over medium heat, sauté bacon until partially cooked, not crisp; drain on paper towels.

3. Place one strip of beef on each slice of bacon; roll up jelly-roll style. Secure with a toothpick.

4. **Make Lyonnaise Potatoes:** In hot oil and butter in large heavy skillet, sauté potatoes, turning frequently, until golden-brown and tender – 10 to 15 minutes. Add onion; toss with salt, pepper and tarragon; sauté 5 minutes longer.

5. Meanwhile, place roulades on rack in broiler pan; broil, 4 inches from heat, 5 to 7 minutes on each side. Serve with potatoes. Sprinkle with parsley. MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## SLICED STEAK ON A BUN

1/2-lb round steak 2 tablespoons soy sauce 1/2 teaspoon sugar 1 tablespoon water 1 tablespoon butter or margarine

2 small green peppers (8 oz) 2 medium onions, halved and thinly sliced 1 tablespoon salad oil 6 round hamburger buns

1. Wipe steak with damp paper towels. Cut steak into thin slices (1/8 inch thick) on the diagonal.

- 2. Combine soy sauce, sugar and 1 tablespoon water in shallow dish.
- 3. Place steak slices in mixture. Marinate 30 minutes.
- 4. Cut peppers in half; remove ribs and seeds; slice into ½-inch strips.
- 5. In hot butter in heavy skillet, sauté pepper and

onion, stirring, until lightly browned – about 10 minutes. Remove pepper and onion; keep warm. 6. Add oil to skillet. Add steak slices and the marinade. Over high heat, stir-fry until browned – 3 to 4 minutes.

7. Add onion and pepper. Over high heat, cook until liquid in pan is almost gone – 3 minutes. Serve in huns

MAKES 8 SERVINGS



## STEAK ORIENTALE

1-lb first-cut chuck steak,
1/2 inch thick
6 tablespoons butter or
margarine
1/4 cup finely chopped
onion
1 clove garlic, crushed
11/4 cups water
2 tablespoons
cornstarch
1/4 cup soy sauce

- 1 large red pepper, cut in <sup>3</sup>/4-inch strips
  1 pkg (10 oz) frozen
  Chinese pea pods,
  thawed
  1 pkg (8 oz) wide noodles,
  cooked as label
  directs, and drained
  2 tablespoons butter or
  margarine
- 1. Wipe steak with damp paper towels. Freeze partially about 1 hour. Trim off any fat and bone. Slice partially frozen meat on diagonal into paperthin slices
- 2. In 3 tablespoons hot butter in large skillet, over high heat, quickly brown steak slices, about half at a time. Remove slices to another pan as they are browned.
- 3. Add remaining butter to skillet; add onion and garlic; sauté, stirring, about 5 minutes.
- 4. In small bowl, dissolve cornstarch in 1/4 cup water; add to skillet, along with 1 cup water and the soy sauce. Bring to boiling; reduce heat and simmer 3 minutes, or until mixture is slightly thickened and translucent. Add meat and pepper strips; simmer, covered, 10 minutes.
- 5. Add pea pods; heat through about 1 minute. 6. Toss drained noodles with butter, turn out on heated serving platter; spoon steak-and-vegetable mixture over top.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## **CHUCK STEAK WITH VEGETABLES**

2 tablespoons salad oil 3-to 31/2-lb chuck steak, 11/2 to 2 inches thick 2 onions, thinly sliced

1 cup water 1 green apple, pared,

2 cans (1-lb size) tomatoes, undrained

cored and thinly sliced

3 teaspoons sugar 2 teaspoons salt 1/8 teaspoon pepper

4 medium potatoes, pared and halved lengthwise (11/4 lb)

1 head green cabbage (21/2 lb), washed and cut into 8 wedges

- 1. Heat oil in large 8-quart Dutch oven. Add beef, and brown on all sides - about 30 minutes; remove from Dutch oven.
- 2. Add onion to Dutch oven, and cook slowly until golden-brown. Add browned steak. Stir in 1 cup water. Add apple and tomatoes; then sprinkle with sugar, salt and pepper.
- 3. Bring to boiling; reduce heat and simmer, covered. 11/2 hours.
- 4. Add potatoes; cook 15 minutes; add cabbage; simmer, covered, 20 minutes longer, or until meat and vegetables are tender. Serve with pan juices spooned over top.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS



## STEAK-AND-VEGETABLE SKILLET DINNER

3 carrots, pared and thinly sliced on diagonal

1/2 lb chuck steak, partially frozen 2 tablespoons butter or

margarine

1 pkg (9 oz) frozen cut green beans 1 onion, thinly sliced 1/2 teaspoon salt

1 clove garlic, split

1 packet (4-serving size) instant mashed potato

- 1. In about 1 inch lightly salted boiling water, cook carrot, covered, 5 minutes; drain.
- 2. Slice partially frozen steak very thinly on diagonal.
- 3. In large skillet, heat 2 tablespoons butter with the garlic; add steak slices; cook quickly until well browned on both sides; remove to warm platter.
- 4. To drippings in skillet, add carrot, green beans and onion; cook, covered, until vegetables are tender - 5 minutes, adding more butter if needed and stirring once or twice.
- 5. Discard garlic. Toss vegetables and meat in skillet with 1/2 teaspoon salt; add a little butter if mixture seems dry. Serve with instant mashed potato, prepared as package label directs, using amount of liguid specified on package and butter and salt for 4 servings.

MAKES 4 SERVINGS

## UPSIDE-DOWN CHILI PIE

1 tablespoon salad or olive oil

11/2 lb ground chuck 1/2 cup chopped onion

1 clove garlic, crushed

1 tablespoon chili powder

11/4 teapoons salt 1 teaspoon dried

oregano leaves

1/2 teaspoon dried basil leaves

1 can (81/4 oz) tomatoes, undrained

1 can (81/2 oz) kidney beans, undrained

1/2 cup red wine or beef broth

1 pkg (12 oz) corn muffin

1 can (83/4 oz) cream-style corn

1 eaa 1/4 cup milk

Grated Cheddar cheese Chopped parsley

Catsup

- 1. In hot oil in heavy, 10-inch skillet, sauté chuck, onion, and garlic until chuck is browned - about 5 minutes.
- 2. Add chili powder, salt, oregano, basil, and tomatoes; mix well. Cook over low heat, covered, 30 minutes. Stir in kidney beans and wine; cook 10 minutes longer.
- 3. Preheat oven to 400F.
- 4. In medium bowl, combine corn muffin mix, corn, egg, and milk; mix just until muffin mix is moistened.
- 5. Skim fat from meat mixture in skillet, and discard. Spread the muffin mixture over the meat mixture evenly.
- 6. Bake 25 minutes, or until top is golden-brown. Let stand in skillet 2 minutes; then invert onto serving platter. Garnish with grated cheese and parsley. Serve with catsup.

Makes 8 Servings

## SOUVLAKIA

Meatballs

1 lb ground beef or lamb 1/2 cup soft bread crumbs 2 tablespoons water oregano leaves 1/2 teaspoon salt

1 clove garlic, minced 1/2 teaspoon dried

Dash pepper 1/2 cup butter or margarine

1 cup sliced onion 1 clove garlic, crushed 1 teaspoon salt 1/8 teaspoon pepper

3 tablespoons tomato

1/2 cup red wine 1 teaspoon dried

oregano leaves

1/4 teaspoon dried thyme leaves 1/4 teaspoon dried

rosemary leaves 1 chicken-bouillon cube

2 tablespoons water 4 loaves Damascus or Arab flat bread

Garnish

1 small tomato, sliced 4 large onion slices

1 cup shredded lettuce

1. Make Meatballs: In medium bowl, combine meat, bread crumbs, 2 tablespoons water, the minced garlic, 1/2 teaspoon oregano, 1/2 teaspoon

salt and dash pepper; toss lightly to mix well. Shape into 24 (1-inch) meatballs.

2. In hot butter in large saucepan, sauté meatballs (just enough at a time to cover bottom of pan) until well browned all over – about 10 minutes. Remove meatballs as they brown; continue browning rest.

3. Add 1 cup onion and the crushed garlic to saucepan; sauté about 5 minutes. Return meatballs to saucepan, along with 2 tablespoons water and remaining ingredients, except bread and garnish.

4. Bring to boiling; reduce heat, and simmer, covered, 10 minutes, or until meat is heated through.

5. Preheat oven to 350F. Heat bread 15 minutes, or until heated through. Split each loaf part way through. Fill with meatball mixture. Garnish with tomato, onion and lettuce.

Makes 4 Servings

## **GRITS AND GRILLADES**

### Grillades

1 lb round steak, cut 1/2 inch thick

1/4 cup all-purpose flour 11/2 teaspoons salt

1/4 teaspoon pepper

Salad oil

1 large onion, finely chopped

1 small green pepper, finely chopped

3 or 4 cloves garlic, crushed

Grits

1 cup white hominy quick grits

1 can (16 oz) whole toma-

fresh tomatoes

Dash hot red-pepper

3/4 cup water

sauce

toes, or 2 cups chopped

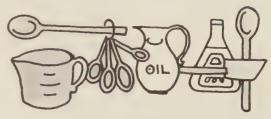
1 teaspoon salt

4 cups boiling water Butter or margarine

- 1. **Make Grillades:** Wipe steak with damp paper towels. Cut into strips about 3 inches long and ½ inch thick.
- 2. On sheet of waxed paper, combine flour,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoons salt and the pepper; mix well. Dredge meat in flour mixture; reserve remaining flour mixture.
- 3. In ½ cup hot oil in large skillet over medium heat, brown beef strips, about one third at a time. Lift out as they brown; continue browning rest.
- 4. Remove skillet from heat; add flour mixture. Cook over low heat, stirring, to brown slightly. (Be careful not to burn.)
- 5. Add 2 tablespoons oil to browned mixture. Add onion, green pepper and garlic; cook, stirring, 5 minutes, or until vegetables are tender-crisp.
- 6. Add beef, tomatoes, water and pepper sauce. Bring to boiling; reduce heat, and simmer, covered, about 1 hour, or until beef is tender.
- 7. Meanwhile, **prepare Grits:** Stir grits slowly into salted boiling water in heavy saucepan. Cook over low heat about 5 minutes, stirring occasionally.

8. Serve grillades over hot buttered grits. MAKES 6 SERVINGS

Note: If your family does not like grits, substitute mashed potato.



## EGGPLANT-AND-MEATPATTIES-PARMIGIANA CASSEROLE

## **Tomato Sauce**

2 tablespoons butter or margarine

1/2 cup chopped onion 1 clove garlic, crushed

1 can (1 lb) tomatoes, undrained

1 can (8 oz) tomato sauce 1 tablespoon sugar

1/2 teaspoon salt

1 teaspoon dried oregano leaves

1/2 teaspoon dried basil leaves

1/4 teaspoon pepper

1 large eggplant (1½ lb) 1/4 cup all-purpose flour 1 teaspoon seasoned salt 1/s teaspoon pepper

1/8 teaspoon pepper 1/4 cup salad oil

## Meatpatties

11/2 lb ground chuck 1 egg, slightly beaten 1/2 cup soft bread crumbs (1 slice)

1/4 teaspoon salt

1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese 1/2 pkg (8-oz size)

mozzarella cheese, sliced

- 1. **Make Tomato Sauce:** In hot butter in medium saucepan, sauté onion and garlic until onion is golden-brown about 5 minutes. Add remaining sauce ingredients; bring to boiling. Reduce heat and simmer, uncovered, 10 minutes.
- 2. Meanwhile, wash eggplant. Cut crosswise into ½-inch-thick slices. Combine flour, seasoned salt and pepper; use to coat eggplant.
- 3. In 2 tablespoons hot oil in skillet, sauté eggplant slices, a few at a time. Add more oil as needed. Remove slices as they brown.
- Preheat oven to 350F.
- 5. **Make Meatpatties:** In medium bowl, combine ground chuck, egg, bread crumbs and salt; mix gently. Shape into 8 patties, ½ inch thick. In large skillet, without fat, over medium heat, brown meat patties on each side.
- 6. Spoon half of tomato sauce into a shallow, round 10-inch baking dish. Arrange eggplant and meat alternately around side of dish. Spoon remaining sauce on top. Sprinkle with Parmesan cheese; top with mozzarella.
- 7. Bake, uncovered, 20 to 25 minutes, or just until mozzarella is melted and golden. Makes 8 Servings

## **BAKED EGGPLANT CREOLE**

1 medium eggplant (about 11/2 lb) Salt **Boiling** water

1/2 lb ground beef 1 clove garlic, crushed 1/4 cup finely chopped

onion 1/4 cup finely chopped green pepper

1/2 cup finely chopped celerv

1 can (1 lb) tomatoes, undrained

2 teaspoons salt 1/4 teaspoon dried thyme leaves

Dash hot red-pepper

2 slices fresh bread, coarsely grated (1 cup)

2 tablespoons seasoned dry bread crumbs

1 tablespoon butter or margarine, melted

- 1. Wash eggplant; cut into 1-inch cubes. Add with 1/2 teaspoon salt to 1 inch boiling water in kettle; simmer, covered, 10 minutes. Drain; cool. Preheat oven to 375F.
- 2. In large skillet, sauté beef with garlic until brown. Add onion, green pepper and celery; sauté over low heat about 5 minutes.
- 3. Stir in tomatoes, 2 teaspoons salt, the thyme, pepper sauce and eggplant. Bring to boiling; cook, uncovered, 10 minutes, stirring frequently. Add fresh bread crumbs.
- 4. Turn into a 2-quart casserole. Combine dry bread crumbs and butter; sprinkle around edge of casserole.
- 5. Bake, uncovered, about 15 minutes, or until hot and bubbly.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## HAMBURGER-PLANK-STEAK DINNER

Fluffy Mashed Potato. right

Hamburger Steak 11/2 lb lean ground chuck 1/4 cup finely chopped onion

1 tablespoon catsup 1 tablespoon

Worcestershire sauce 1 teaspoon prepared mustard

1 teaspoon salt 1/4 teaspoon pepper

1 pkg (10 oz) frozen broccoli spears 2 medium tomatoes. halved

1/4 cup butter or margarine, melted

1/4 cup seasoned dry bread crumbs

1. Prepare Fluffy Mashed Potato; set aside.

2. Prepare Hamburger Steak: In medium bowl, combine chuck, onion, catsup, Worcestershire, mustard, salt and pepper. Mix gently to combine well.

3. Cover a wooden board or plank with foil. On board, shape mixture into a steak 11/4 inches thick.

4. Broil, 6 inches from heat, 10 minutes. Meanwhile, cook broccoli spears as package label directs. 5. Turn steak with two large spatulas. Place tomatoes alongside. Brush tops with a little melted butter;

6. Remove foil from board. Replace steak and tomatoes on board. Combine bread crumbs with 2 tablespoons melted butter; sprinkle over tomato halves. Arrange drained broccoli on two sides of steak. Drizzle a little melted butter over broccoli.

7. Using a pastry bag with a number-6 decorating tube, pipe mashed potato on board around two sides of steak. Broil 3 to 5 minutes, or until tomatoes and potato are golden.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

broil 5 minutes.

## **FLUFFY MASHED POTATO**

8 medium potatoes (about 21/2 lb) Boiling water 1 tablespoon salt

1 cup milk 1/4 cup butter or margarine

1. Pare potatoes; cut in quarters. Cook in 1 inch boiling water with salt, covered, until tender – 20 minutes. Drain well; return to saucepan.

2. Beat with portable electric mixer (or mash with potato masher) until smooth. Heat slowly, stirring, over low heat to dry out - about 5 minutes.

3. In saucepan, heat milk and butter until butter melts - don't let milk boil.

4. Gradually beat in hot milk mixture until potatoes are smooth, light and fluffy. MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS

## **MEAT-LOAF ROULADE**

**Filling** Instant mashed potato for 4 to 5 servings 1/2 cup grated sharp

Cheddar cheese 1 tablespoon chopped onion

1 egg

11/4 lb ground beef 1/2 teaspoon garlic salt 1/2 teaspoon onion salt 2 tablespoons catsup

- 1. Make Filling: Prepare mashed potato according to package directions, reducing water by one third and omitting salt.
- 2. Add cheese, onion and egg; mix well. Cool 30 minutes.
- 3. To assemble: Preheat oven to 350F. In medium bowl, combine ground beef and the garlic and onion salts; mix well.
- 4. On a 16-inch sheet of foil, roll out meat mixture to a 12-inch square. Spread meat evenly with filling; roll up as for jelly roll.
- 5. Place meat loaf, seam side down, on lightly

greased baking sheet. Cut four slashes diagonally across top of meat.

6. Bake, uncovered, 35 to 40 minutes, or until meat is done in center.

7. Arrange meat loaf on warm platter. Spoon catsup on top of meat loaf.
MAKES 6 SERVINGS



## **SURPRISE BURGERS**

3/4 lb ground chuck 2 teaspoons mustard 1 clove fresh garlic, pressed 1/4 teaspoon salt Dash pepper 1/2 cup soft bread crumbs 2 tablespoons milk 4 sticks Swiss cheese (5-by-3/4-by-1/2-inch), about 6 oz 4 (7-inch) French rolls Lettuce and red pepper slices, for garnish (optional)

1. Preheat oven to 400F.

2. In medium bowl, combine beef, mustard, garlic, salt, pepper, bread crumbs and milk; mix lightly with fork. Divide mixture into fourths.

3. Mold meat mixture around Swiss cheese sticks, covering completely. Arrange on cookie sheets.

4. Bake 15 minutes, or until cheese begins to melt. Heat rolls until crispy.

5. Place burgers in rolls. Garnish with lettuce and sliced red pepper.

MAKES 4 SERVINGS

## SKILLET MEAT LOAF

1 egg

1 cup milk

3 slices white bread, cut into 1/4-inch cubes

1/2 teaspoon dried savory leaves

1 teaspoon salt

1/4 teaspoon pepper

1/4 teaspoon dry mustard

1/4 teaspoon celery salt

1 tablespoon

Worcestershire sauce

1/2 cup finely chopped onion

1 tablespoon salad oil

1 lb ground chuck
1/2 lb lean ground pork

### Glaze

1/2 cup chili sauce

2 tablespoons brown

1/3 teaspoon dry mustard

- 1. Preheat oven to 350F.
- 2. In large bowl, beat egg slightly with fork. Stir in milk, bread cubes, savory, salt, pepper, dry mustard, celery salt and Worcestershire; mix well.
- 3. Sauté onion in hot oil until tender about 5 minutes
- 4. Add ground chuck, ground pork and onion to bread mixture; mix until well combined, using hands if necessary. Turn meat mixture into lightly

greased 8½-inch skillet with heat-resistant handle. Bake 60 minutes.

5. **Make Glaze:** In small bowl, combine all ingredients, mixing well.

6. Remove meat loaf from oven; drain excess fat. Brush surface with glaze. Bake 15 minutes.
7. To serve: Cut into wedges.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

## **MADRAS CURRIED MEATBALLS**

### Meatballs

1 cup soft white-bread crumbs 1/2 cup water

2 lb ground chuck 2 teaspoons curry powder

11/2 teaspoons salt

ginger 1/4 teaspoon pepper

2 tablespoons butter or margarine

2 tablespoons salad oil

## Sauce

1/2 cup chopped onion 1 clove garlic, crushed 1 cup chopped pared tart 4 teaspoons curry powder

3/4 teaspoon ground ginger 1/2 teaspoon salt

Dash pepper
1/4 cup unsifted allpurpose flour

1 can (1 lb, 1 oz) fruits for salad

1 can (10³/₄ oz) condensed chicken broth, undiluted

2 tablespoons lemon juice

4 cups cooked long-grain white rice

- 1. **Make Meatballs.** In large bowl, combine bread crumbs, ½ cup water, the chuck, 2 teaspoons curry powder, 1½ teaspoons salt, ½ teaspoon ginger, and ¼ teaspoon pepper; mix lightly with fork. With hands, lightly shape into 16 meatballs (¼ cup each). 2. In hot butter and oil in Dutch oven, brown meatballs all over, half at a time. Remove as they are browned.
- 3. **Make Sauce.** In hot drippings in Dutch oven, sauté onion, garlic, apple, curry powder, ginger, salt, and pepper until onion is tender about 5 minutes.
- 4. Remove from heat, stir in flour until smooth.
- 5. Drain fruit, reserving <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> cup juice. Gradually stir juice, then chicken broth into mixture in Dutch oven. Return to heat; cook, stirring, until mixture boils.
- 6. Add meatballs; simmer, covered 25 minutes. Add fruit and lemon juice; heat 5 minutes.
- 7. Meanwhile, cook rice as package label directs.
- 8. To serve: Spoon rice onto large heated platter; mound meatballs with fruit and some of sauce in center. Pass rest of sauce.

MAKES 4 TO 6 SERVINGS



## **AUTUMN BEEF STEW**

- 1 tablespoon butter or margarine 1 tablespoon salad oil 2 lb boneless chuck, cut into 11/2-inch cubes
- 2 cloves garlic, crushed 6 large carrots (1 lb), pared and cut in half
- pared and cut in half 8 medium onions, peeled 1/2 teaspoon dried basil leaves
- 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 1 can (10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> oz) condensed beef broth, undiluted Water
- 5 large potatoes, pared and halved (2 lb)
- 2 tablespoons allpurpose flour
- 1. In hot butter and oil in 6-quart Dutch oven, brown beef well on all sides about 20 minutes.
- $2.\,\mathrm{Add}\,\mathrm{garlic}$ ,  $1\,\mathrm{carrot}$ ,  $2\,\mathrm{onions}$ , the basil, Worcestershire, salt, pepper and beef broth, plus  $1\,\mathrm{can}$  water.
- 3. Bring to boiling; reduce heat; simmer, covered, one hour. Remove vegetables, and purée them; reserve.
- 4. Add remaining carrots, onions and the potatoes. Simmer, covered, until meat and vegetables are fork-tender about 30 minutes. Remove meat and vegetables to warm serving platter.
- 5. Measure liquid in Dutch oven; add water to make 2 cups. Return to Dutch oven. In small bowl, combine flour with ½ cup water, stirring until smooth.
- 6. Add flour mixture to liquid in Dutch oven. Bring to boiling, stirring; boil 3 minutes. Add puréed vegetables.
- 7. Spoon some of the sauce over the beef. Pass rest of sauce.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

## ZUCCHINI MOUSSAKA Pictured

## **Meat Sauce**

- 2 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 1 cup finely chopped onion
- 3/4 lb ground chuck or lamb
- 1 clove garlic, crushed
- 1/2 teaspoon dried oregano leaves
- 1 teaspoon dried basil leaves
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1 teaspoon salt Dash pepper
- 2 cans (8-oz size) tomato sauce
- 8 medium zucchini (21/2 to 3 lb)

## Salt

## **Cream Sauce**

- 2 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 2 tablespoons allpurpose flour
- 1/2 teaspoon salt Dash pepper
- 2 cups milk
- 2 eggs
- 3 tablespoons grated Parmesan cheese
- 3 tablespoons grated Cheddar cheese
- 2 tablespoons dry bread crumbs

- 1. **Make Meat Sauce:** In 2 tablespoons hot butter in 3½-quart Dutch oven, sauté onion, chuck and garlic, stirring, until brown 10 minutes. Add oregano, basil, cinnamon, 1 teaspoon salt, dash pepper and the tomato sauce; bring to boiling, stirring. Reduce heat; simmer, uncovered, ½ hour. 2. Wash zucchini; cut in half lengthwise. Add, with 1 teaspoon salt, to 1 inch boiling water; cook, covered, over medium heat just until tender, not mushy 8 to 10 minutes. Drain well.
- 3. **Make Cream Sauce:** In medium saucepan, melt butter. Remove from heat; stir in flour, salt and pepper. Add milk gradually. Bring to boiling, stirring until mixture is thickened. Remove from heat. In small bowl, beat eggs with wire whisk. Beat in some hot cream sauce mixture; return mixture to saucepan; mix well. Set aside.
- 4. Preheat oven to 350F. To assemble casserole: In bottom of a shallow 2-quart baking dish (12 by 7½ by 2 inches), layer half of zucchini, overlapping slightly; then sprinkle with 2 tablespoons each grated Parmesan and Cheddar cheeses.
- 5. Stir bread crumbs into meat sauce; spoon evenly over zucchini in casserole; layer rest of zucchini slices, overlapping, as before.
- 6. Pour cream sauce over all. Sprinkle top with remaining cheese. Bake 35 to 40 minutes, or until golden-brown and top is set. If desired, brown top a little more under broiler 1 minute. Cool slightly to serve. Cut in squares.

MAKES 12 SERVINGS



## **OXTAIL RAGOUT**

4 lb oxtails, cut crosswise in 2-inch pieces (if frozen, let All-purpose flour 1/4 cup butter or margarine 1 cup chopped celery 1 cup chopped onion 4 sprigs parsley 1 clove garlic, crushed 1/4 teaspoon black peppercorns

2 teaspoons salt

1 teaspoon dried thyme leaves 2 bay leaves 1 can (101/2 oz) condensed beef broth. undiluted Water

1 cup tomato juice 8 carrots (11/2 lb), pared and cut into 11/2-inch pieces

2 lb potatoes, pared and halved

1. Day before: Wash oxtails under cold water: dru with paper towels. Coat oxtails with 3 tablespoons flour. In some of hot butter in a 6-quart Dutch oven. brown oxtails, half at a time, turning with tongs to brown well all over; add butter as needed. Lift out the oxtails as they are browned. (Slow browning gives better flavor and color - takes about 30 minutes in all.)

2. To fat in Dutch oven, add chopped celery and onion, parsley, garlic, peppercorns, salt, thyme and bay leaves. Sauté over medium heat, stirring, until

onion is golden - about 5 minutes.

3. Add browned oxtails, beef broth and 2 cups water. Bring to boiling; reduce heat; simmer, covered, over low heat 3 hours or until oxtails are tender. Remove from heat; stir in tomato juice. Cool to room temperature; refrigerate, covered, overnight.

4. Next day, about an hour before serving: With metal spoon, skim off hardened layer of fat from surface and discard. Heat oxtails slowly over low heat, stirring occasionally; bring just to boiling point.

5. Meanwhile, prepare carrots and potatoes. Add to oxtail mixture; bring back to boiling; reduce heat and simmer, covered, until vegetables are tender when pierced with fork. Discard bay leaves.

6. To 2 tablespoons flour in small bowl, stir in 1/4 cup cold water: mix with fork until smooth. Stir into bubbling liquid in Dutch oven. Simmer, stirring occasionally, until sauce has thickened - about 5 minutes. Sprinkle top of the ragout with chopped parsley, if desired.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

## SAUTÉED LIVER ALSACIENNE

11/2 lb beef liver, sliced 1/4 inch thick 1 cup milk 1/2 cup butter or margarine 4 medium onions, thinly

sliced

1/3 cup all-purpose flour 1/a teaspoon pepper 2 medium-size red apples

Parsley

- 1. Wash liver. Place in a shallow pan. Add milk. turning slices to coat well. Refrigerate ½ hour.
- 2. Heat half of butter in large skillet. Add onion slices and ½ teaspoon salt. Cook over low heat, stirring occasionally, until onion begins to brown - about 15 minutes.
- 3. Meanwhile, drain liver well. Combine flour, 1 teaspoon salt and the pepper; use flour mixture to coat liver well.
- 4. Wash and core apples. Trim ends, and cut each crosswise into 3 slices. Add to skillet with onion, and cook until tender and golden on each side - about 10 minutes.
- 5. Heat remaining butter in another large skillet. Add liver slices, and sauté until golden-brown on each side - 3 to 4 minutes per side.
- 6. To serve: Place liver on heated platter. Top with onion and apple slices; garnish with parsley. MAKES 4 TO 6 SERVINGS



## **VENETIAN LIVER WITH POLENTA**

1 lb beef liver, sliced 1-inch thick 3 tablespoons allpurpose flour 1 teaspoon salt 1/a teaspoon pepper 3 tablespoons butter or margarine 3 tablespoons olive or salad oil

1 lb onions, thinly sliced 1/2 teaspoon dried sage 1/4 cup dry white wine 1 tablespoon lemon juice 2 tablespoons chopped parsley Polenta, page 16

- 1. With paper towels, pat liver dry. Cut into strips 1/8-inch wide (see Note).
- 2. On sheet of waxed paper, combine flour, salt and pepper. Roll liver in mixture, coating well.
- 3. In large skillet, heat butter and 2 tablespoons oil. Sauté liver strips, turning frequently, until lightly browned on all sides - about 5 minutes. Remove, and set aside.
- 4. Add remaining oil to skillet. Sauté onion slices, stirring frequently, until golden - about 10 minutes. Add sage. Cook, covered, over low heat 5 minutes. 5. Combine liver with onion mixture, tossing lightly. Cook, covered, over low heat 5 minutes. Remove liver and onion to serving dish.
- 6. To drippings in skillet, add white wine and lemon juice; bring to boiling, stirring. Pour over liver and onion. Sprinkle with chopped parsley. Arrange squares of Polenta, overlapping, around edge of platter.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

Note: To make liver easier to slice thinly, place in freezer just long enough to chill thoroughly.

## **POLENTA**

2 cups water 1½ teaspoons salt 1 cup yellow cornmeal 2 tablespoons melted butter 2 tablespoons grated Parmesan cheese

- 1. Lightly butter an 8-by-8-by-13/4-inch baking pan.
- 2. In heavy 4-quart Dutch oven, bring 2 cups water and the salt to boiling. Slowly add cornmeal, stirring constantly. Mixture will become very thick.
- 3. Turn heat low; cook cornmeal mixture, uncovered and without stirring, about 5 minutes.
- 4. Turn into prepared baking pan; let stand 20 minutes. To serve: loosen around edges and underneath with spatula. Invert on warm serving platter. *Note:* For liver with Polenta (page 15) invert on board and cut into 2-inch squares.

## **BOILED SHIN OF BEEF WITH GRAVY**

6-to-6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-Ib shin of beef 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> quarts water

1/4 teaspoon pepper

## Stuffing

2 tablespoons butter or margarine

3/4 cup finely chopped onion

1/2 cup finely chopped celery

1 can (3 oz) sliced mushrooms, drained 1/2 teaspoon salt

## Gravy

3 tablespoons allpurpose flour

3 tablespoons water 2 cups reserved beef stock

1/2 teaspoon liquid gravy

seasoning

1 teaspoon soy sauce 1/2 teaspoon salt

1/8 teaspoon pepper

- 1. Cut meat from bone in one piece; set meat aside.
- 2. Place bone in 6-quart kettle; cover with  $2\frac{1}{2}$  quarts cold water.
- 3. Bring to boiling; skim off fat from surface. Reduce heat; simmer, covered, 1 hour.
- 4. **Make Stuffing.** Slowly melt butter in medium skillet. Add onion, celery, mushrooms, salt, and pepper.
- 5. Cook, stirring, over medium heat, until vegetables are tender about 15 minutes. Set ½ cup of the vegetable mixture aside for gravy.
- 6. Spread inside surface of meat with rest of vegetable mixture. Roll up, jelly-roll fashion; secure with twine.
- 7. Remove bone from stock; discard bone. Add meat to stock; simmer, covered,  $2^{1/2}$  to 3 hours, or until meat is very tender.
- 8. Remove meat to platter; discard twine. Cover, and keep warm. Strain stock, reserving 2 cups for gravu.
- 9. **Make Gravy.** Combine flour with 3 tablespoons cold water in small saucepan. Stir into stock; bring to boiling, stirring; boil 1 minute.

10. Add reserved vegetable mixture and rest of gravy ingredients; simmer, uncovered, 5 minutes. Pass gravy along with meat.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS



## Veal

## BAKED STUFFED BREAST OF VEAL Pictured

Salt

Pepper

- 4 tablespoons unsifted all-purpose flour
- 5-Ib breast of veal, with pocket for stuffing 1/4 cup salad oil
- 21/2 cups rye-bread cubes (1/2-inch)
- 1 can (10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> oz) condensed beef consommé, undiluted 2 eggs, beaten

1 clove garlic

- 2 tablespoons chopped parsley
- 3/4 cup finely chopped onion
- 1 teaspoon caraway seed
- 3 teaspoons parepared mustard

Water

- 1 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce
- 1 teaspoon liquid gravy seasoning
- 1. Preheat oven to 325F.
- 2. On large sheet of waxed paper, blend 1 teaspoon salt, ½ teaspoon pepper, and 2 tablespoons flour. Coat veal on all sides with flour mixture.
- 3. Heat oil in 12-inch skillet, and brown veal. Remove veal from skillet, and let cool. Discard any fat in pan.
- 4. In medium bowl, combine bread cubes, ½ cup undiluted consommé, the eggs, garlic, parsley, onion, caraway seed, 1 teaspoon prepared mustard, ½ teaspoon salt, and ¼ teaspoon pepper; mix well.
- 5. Spoon mixture into veal pocket, pushing mixture well into cavity. Place veal, meaty side up, in a 15-by-10-by-2-inch roasting pan. Add remaining consommé, ½ cup water, ¼ teaspoon salt, and ½ teaspoon pepper. Cover pan with foil, securing edges tightly. Bake 2 to 2½ hours, or until tender. Remove veal to platter; keep warm.
- 6. Meanwhile, make sauce: Measure drippings from pan; strain; add water, if necessary, to make 2 cups; pour into small saucepan. Mix 2 tablespoons flour and 3/4 cup water together smoothly; stir into pan liquid, along with remaining mustard, the Worcestershire, and gravy seasoning. Bring mixture to boiling, stirring, until mixture is slightly thickened and smooth.
- 7. To serve, cut veal in slices; pass sauce in heated sauceboat.

MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS





## LAMB-AND-FRUIT CURRY

- 2-lb lamb shoulder, cut into 11/2-inch cubes 2 tablespoons salad or
- peanut oil 2 medium onions, thinly sliced
- 1 teaspoon dried thyme leaves
- 1 tablespoon chopped parsley
- 2 tablespoons curry powder
- 2 tablespoons allpurpose flour
- 11/2 teaspoons salt
- 21/2 cups water
- 2 medium-size green apples
- 3 bananas (1 lb)
- 1 can (8 oz) pineapple chunks, undrained
- 1. Trim any excess fat from lamb, and discard. Wipe lamb with damp paper towels.
- 2. In a 4-quart Dutch oven, heat oil. Add onion; sauté until golden several minutes. Add thyme and parsley; cook 1 minute longer.
- 3. Add lamb cubes; sauté, turning, until browned on all sides about 25 minutes.
- 4. Meanwhile, in small bowl, combine curry powder, flour and salt; mix well.
- 5. Sprinkle curry mixture over browned meat. Cook, stirring, 2 minutes. Add  $2^{1/2}$  cups water; mix well. Simmer, covered, 50 to 60 minutes, or until meat is tender.
- 6. Cut unpared apples into eighths; remove cores. Add apple wedges to the curry mixture, and let them cook 5 minutes.
- 7. Peel bananas; cut into ½-inch chunks. Add with pineapple, to curry mixture; stir gently. Cook over low heat 5 minutes. Turn onto heated serving platter. Serve with rice.

MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS

## LAMB-AND-RATATOUILLE CASSEROLE

2 tablespoons salad oil 2 lb lamb shoulder, cut in 1½-inch cubes 2 medium onions, sliced 1 clove garlic, crushed 2 teaspoons curry

2 teaspoons curry powder 1 chicken-bouillon cube,

crushed 2 lb potatoes, pared and very thinly sliced 3 teaspoons salt Dash pepper 1/2 lb zucchini, sliced 1 pkg (9 oz) frozen artichoke hearts 2 cans (1-lb size) tomatoes Chopped parsley

1. In hot oil in large skillet, sauté lamb cubes, one third at a time, until browned well on all sides (takes about 20 minutes in all). Remove lamb as it browns. Preheat oven to 350F.

- 2. Add onion, garlic, curry powder and bouillon cube to drippings in skillet; sauté until onion is golden about 5 minutes.
- 3. Return lamb cubes to skillet, mixing well.
- 4. In a 3-quart casserole, arrange a layer of half of meat mixture and half of potato, salt, pepper, zucchini, artichoke hearts and tomatoes (use 1 can drained and 1 can undrained). Make a second layer with other half of these ingredients.
- 5. Bake, covered, 1½ hours. Remove cover; continue baking 1 hour longer, or until lamb and potato are tender. To serve, sprinkle top with parsley.

  MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS

## BARBECUED LAMB RIBLETS

10 lb lamb riblets
1/2 lemon, sliced
2 stalks celery, sliced
1 onion halved
1/4 cup cider vinegar
1 teaspoon salt
4 black peppercorns
5 quarts water

1/2 cup honey
1/4 cup dark-brown sugar,
packed
1/4 cup cider vinegar
1/8 teaspoon hot redpepper sauce
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 cup salad oil
1 slice lemon
1 cup water

Barbecue Sauce 1 bottle (14 oz) catsup

- 1. In large 8-to-10-quart kettle, place lamb riblets, sliced ½ lemon, the celery, onion, ¼ cup vinegar, 1 teaspoon salt, the peppercorns, and 5 quarts water. Bring to boiling; reduce heat, and simmer, covered, 45 minutes, or until riblets are very tender. Remove from heat; let riblets cool in broth.
- 2. Meanwhile, **make Barbecue Sauce:** In 2-quart saucepan, combine all barbecue-sauce ingredients, along with 1 cup water. Bring to boiling; reduce heat, and simmer, uncovered, 20 minutes.
- 3. When ready to broil, drain riblets, and discard broth. Arrange riblets on broiler rack, bone side up. Brush with some of barbecue sauce.
- 4. Place rack in broiler, 4 to 5 inches from heat. Broil riblets 10 minutes; brush with sauce, and broil 5 minutes longer. Turn with tongs; brush with sauce. Broil 10 minutes; brush with sauce, and continue broiling 10 to 15 minutes, longer, or until riblets are browned and glazed.
- 5. To serve: Cut riblets into serving-size pieces, and pile on large serving platter. Garnish with celery tops and lemon slices, if desired.

  MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS

## LAMB SHANKS AND WHITE BEANS

1 lb Great Northern white beans or pea beans Water 4 lamb shanks 1/4 cup butter or

margarine 2 cups sliced onion

1 clove garlic, crushed 2 bay leaves

1 teaspoon dried thyme leaves 1 can (1 lb, 12 oz) tomatoes, undrained 3 teaspoons salt

1/2 teaspoon pepper 2 tablespoons chopped parsley

1. Day before, cover beans with cold water; refrigerate; let stand, covered, overnight.

2. Next day, drain beans. In 8-quart kettle, bring 6 cups water to boiling. Add beans, simmer, covered. 11/2 hours, or just until beans are tender but not mushy. Drain beans; reserve liquid.

3. Meanwhile, wipe lamb shanks with damp paper towels. In hot butter in 12-inch skillet, brown lamb shanks all over - about 30 minutes. Remove.

4. To remaining fat in skillet, add onion: sauté, stirring until golden - 5 minutes.

5. Return lamb shanks to skillet, along with garlic. bay leaves and thyme; sauté one minute.

6. Add tomatoes; mix well; simmer, covered, 1 hour.

7. Meanwhile, preheat oven to 375F.

8. Remove lamb shanks from skillet. In shallow roasting pan, combine drained beans and tomato mixture in skillet: mix well.

9. Place lamb shanks on top of bean mixture; add some of bean liquid if mixture seems dry. Sprinkle with salt and pepper.

10. Bake, uncovered, ½ hour; turn shanks; bake, uncovered, 1/2 hour longer or until lamb shanks are tender. (If necessary, add a little more bean liquid.) 11. Before serving, sprinkle with chopped parsley. MAKES 8 TO 10 SERVINGS

## LAMB-AND-KIDNEY PIE

11/2 lb lamb shoulder (1 lb boneless lamb) 1/2 lb lamb kidneys 2 tablespoons salad oil 1 cup chopped onion 1 clove garlic, crushed 1 cup chicken broth

1 teaspoon salt

1/8 teaspoon pepper

purpose flour 1/4 cup water 4 medium carrots, pared and coarsely chopped Instant mashed potato for 4 to 5 servings Paprika

3 tablespoons all-

1. Trim any fat from lamb and kidneys. Cut lamb and kidneys into 1-inch cubes.

2. In hot oil in heavy saucepan, sauté onion and gar-

lic until tender - about 5 minutes. Add lamb and kidney (about one half at a time); sauté, stirring, until nicely browned all over – 15 minutes in all.

3. Add chicken broth, salt and pepper; simmer. covered and stirring occasionally, until meat is almost tender - about 30 minutes. Dissolve flour in 1/4 cup cold water. Add to lamb mixture. Add the carrots, and cook 30 minutes longer.

4. Meanwhile, prepared mashed potato as package label directs.

5. Turn lamb mixture into 2-quart baking dish. Turn potato into a large pastry bag with a number-six tube in place. Pipe potato on top of dish to make a lattice. Sprinkle potato with paprika. Run under broiler, or bake in 450F oven, just to brown top. MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## SPRING-LAMB-AND-CARROT LOAF

1 egg 2 cups grated carrot 1/2 cup catsup 11/2 cups soft bread crumbs 1/2 cup finely chopped 1/4 cup chopped parsley 1 teaspoon salt 1/4 teaspoon pepper 11/2 lb lean ground lamb **Glazed Carrot Slices** 3 large carrots, pared and cut on diagonal, 1/a inch thick Salt 2 tablespoons butter or margarine 1/4 cup light-brown sugar 2 tablespoons lemon iuice

1. Preheat oven to 350F.

2. In large bowl, beat egg slightly with fork. Stir in grated carrot, catsup, bread crumbs, onion, parsley, salt and pepper; mix well. Set aside 5 minutes.

3. Add ground lamb; mix just until well combined.

4. In shallow roasting pan, with moistened hands, shape lamb mixture into an oval loaf, 9 inches long, 5 inches wide at center; taper ends slightly. Bake 1

5. Prepare Glazed Carrot Slices. Place sliced carrots in medium saucepan with 1-inch-deep salted boiling water; simmer, covered, 10 to 15 minutes, or until tender. Drain.

6. Melt butter in medium skillet. Add sugar and lemon juice. Stir over medium heat just until sugar is melted. Add drained carrot slices. Cook, stirring occasionally, until carrots are glazed.

7. Remove lamb loaf to hot platter. Overlap carrot slices, in rows, to cover the loaf. Spoon any remaining glaze over carrots; or, if desired, pour carrots and glaze over loaf. Serve immediately. MAKES 8 SERVINGS



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## **BAKED PORK CHOPS WITH APPLES**

6 rib pork chops, 1 inch thick (21/2 lb) 11/2 teaspoons rubbed sage 11/2 teaspoons salt

1/4 teaspoon pepper

- 1 lb carrots, pared 2 cups sliced onion 1 lb tart cooking apples, pared and quartered 1/4 cup light-brown sugar
- 1. Preheat oven to 350F.
- 2. Wipe pork chops with damp paper towels. Trim off fat.
- 3. On waxed paper, combine sage, salt and pepper. Dip both sides of chops in seasoning.
- 4. Slice carrots diagonally ½ inch thick. Layer in 3-quart casserole or baking dish. Top with half of onion. Then add chops, slightly overlapping; sprinkle with any remaining seasoning. Cover chops with remaining onion. Arrange apple quarters over all; sprinkle with brown sugar.
- 5. Bake, covered, 2½ hours. Remove cover; baste with pan juices. Bake 30 minutes, or until tender.
  6. Let stand for 5 minutes; then skim off fat.
  MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## PORK-CHOP-AND-WHITE-BEAN CASSEROLE

1 lb (2 cups) dried white navy beans Water 4 teaspoons salt 1/4 teaspoon pepper 2 cloves garlic, crushed 1 bay leaf 6 rib or shoulder pork chops (3 lb) 1 teaspoon salt 1/4 teaspoon pepper 2 onions, finely chopped

(about 2 cups)

- 1 green pepper, finely chopped (about 1 cup)
  1 can (1 lb) tomatoes, undrained
  1 teaspoon dried oregano leaves
  1 teaspoon dried thyme leaves
  1/4 cup finely chopped parsley
- 1. Day before: Cover beans with cold water; refrigerate, covered, overnight.
- 2. Next day, drain beans; turn into a 6-quart Dutch oven; cover with 5 cups cold water. Add 4 teaspoons salt, ½ teaspoon pepper, the garlic and bay leaf. Bring to boiling; reduce heat; simmer gently, covered, 1 hour, or until beans are just tender, stirring several times during cooking. Drain. Preheat oven to 350F.
- 3. Meanwhile, wipe pork chops with damp paper

- towels. Trim extra fat from chops; heat fat in a large
- 4. Add chops to skillet; brown on both sides; sprinkle with salt and pepper. Arrange in 3½-quart shallow baking dish.
- 5. In hot fat, sauté onion until golden about 5 minutes. Add green pepper, tomatoes, oregano, thyme and parsley; cook 5 more minutes. Stir vegetable mixture into drained beans. Pour over chops.
- 6. Bake, covered tightly with foil,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  hours, or until chops are tender. If desired, pull chops to top, and garnish top with chopped parsley before serving.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS



## HAWAIIAN PORK CHOPS

- 8 loin pork chops, about 1 inch thick (3 lb) 3 tablespoons all-
- purpose flour 2 teaspoons seasoned
- salt
  1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 1/4 teaspoon ground ginger
- 2 tablespoons salad oil or shortening 1 can (1 lb, 4 oz) pineapple slices 10 large prunes, pitted 8 medium carrots, pared
- 1 tablespoon cornstarch
- 1. Wipe pork chops with damp paper towels. Trim off fat, if necessary. Mix flour with salt, pepper, and ginger; use to coat chops.
- 2. In hot oil in large skillet, brown chops well on both sides about 20 minutes in all.
- 3. Drain pineapple, reserving liquid. On top of each browned chop, in a single layer in skillet, arrange a pineapple slice with a prune in the center.
- 4. Arrange remaining pineapple and prunes and the whole carrots between chops. Pour all but ½ cup reserved pineapple liquid over all. Bring to boiling; reduce heat, and simmer, covered, 45 to 50 minutes, or until chops and carrots are tender.
- 5. With slotted utensil, remove chops, with fruit and carrots, to heated serving platter. Keep warm.
- 6. In small bowl, mix cornstarch with  $\frac{1}{4}$  cup pineapple liquid. Stir into drippings in skillet; bring to boiling, stirring; boil 1 minute. Pour over chops. MAKES 8 SERVINGS

## **PORK-AND-POTATO HOT POT**

6 shoulder or rib pork chops (about 3 lb) 1/4 cup all-purpose flour 2 teaspoons salt 1/2 teaspoon pepper 1 can (103/4 oz) condensed chicken

broth, undiluted

2 teaspoons bottled steak sauce 1 lb onions, peeled and sliced

6 carrots, pared and sliced (1 lb)

6 potatoes, pared and sliced (21/2 lb)

- 1. Preheat oven to 350F. Trim excess fat from pork chops. Heat trimmed fat in large, heavy skillet.
- 2. On waxed paper, combine flour, salt and pepper; dip chops in flour mixture, coating lightly. Reserve remaining flour mixture.
- 3. In hot fat, brown chops on both sides. Remove from heat; remove chops from skillet.
- 4. Stir reserved flour mixture into 2 tablespoons drippings in skillet until smooth. Gradually stir in chicken broth and steak sauce; bring to boiling, stirring constantly. Reduce heat; simmer 1 minute. Remove from heat.
- 5. In 3½-quart casserole, layer half of onion and carrot; add browned chops. Add half of potato and the remaining onion. Arrange remaining potato and carrot slices, overlapping, over top. Pour broth mixture over all.
- 6. Bake, covered, 2 hours. To serve: Arrange several chops on top.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## PORK CHOPS WITH POTATO-CORN CAKES

6 rib or shoulder pork chops (2 to 21/21b) 1/4 cup all-purpose flour 1 teaspoon salt 1 teaspoon dried thyme leaves Dash pepper 2 tablespoons margarine 1 cup sliced onion 1 cup apple juice Potato-Corn Cakes, right 1 cup boiling water

- 1. Wipe pork chops with damp paper towels. Trim excess fat, and reserve. On sheet of waxed paper, combine flour, salt, thyme and pepper. Use to coat chops evenly on both sides; reserve remaining flour mixture.
- 2. In reserved pork fat in large skillet, brown pork chops, turning on each side, until golden-brown about 20 minutes in all. Remove chops.
- 3. To fat remaining in skillet, add margarine. Add onion, and sauté, stirring, until golden about 5 minutes.
- 4. Return chops to skillet; add apple juice. Simmer, covered, 50 to 60 minutes, or until meat is tender.
- 5. Meanwhile, make Potato-Corn Cakes.
- 6. Turn pork chops onto heated serving platter. Add remaining flour mixture to skillet; mix well. Add  $1\,$

cup boiling water to skillet. Return to boiling, loosening brown drippings from skillet. Continue boiling about 3 minutes; strain. If desired, add a little salt.

7. To serve, arrange Potato-Corn Cakes around chops; pass sauce.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

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## POTATO-CORN CAKES

Margarine
1/2 cup finely chopped
onion

3 cups mashed potato 1/a teaspoon pepper 1 egg yolk

1 can (12 oz) whole-kernel corn, drained

- 1. In 2 tablespoons margarine in small skillet, sauté onion, stirring, until golden about 5 minutes. Add corn; mix well. Remove from heat.
- 2. In large mixing bowl, combine potato, onion mixture, pepper and egg yolk; mix with wooden spoon until well blended.
- 3. Measure ½ cup potato-corn mixture for each cake. With hands, shape into a flat round 3 inches in diameter.
- 4. In ½ cup hot margarine in large skillet, sauté cakes, turning until hot and well browned on both sides.

MAKES 12

## **PORK CHOP SUEY**

2 tablespoons salad oil
1 cup thinly sliced onion
2 cups sliced celery
1/2 cup leftover pork gravy
(see Note)
1 can (101/2 oz)
condensed cream-ofmushroom soup,
undiluted
1/4 cup soy sauce

2 cups slivered leftover roast pork 1 can (16 oz) bean sprouts, drained 1 tablespoon cornstarch

1/2 cup water
3 cups cooked long-grain
white rice, or 1 can
(3 oz) Chinese noodles

- 1. In hot oil in large skillet, sauté onion and celery, stirring, until onion is golden about 10 minutes.
- 2. Add gravy, soup and soy sauce; bring to boiling, stirring. Add pork and bean sprouts; return to boiling. Reduce heat; simmer, covered, 5 minutes.
- 3. Combine cornstarch with ½ cup cold water, stirring until smooth. Add some of the hot mixture to the cornstarch; return to skillet, mixing well.
- 4. Bring to boiling, stirring, until mixture is thickened and translucent about 5 minutes. Serve over rice. Makes 6 Servings

Note: Or use ½ cup canned chicken gravy.

## **BARBECUED SPARERIBS**

Barbecue Sauce (see Note)

2 tablespoons salad oil 1/2 cup chopped onion 1 cup tomato catsup

1 cup water

2 tablespoons cider vinegar 1 tablespoon brown

sugar

1 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce 1/4 teaspoon dry mustard 11/4 teaspoons salt 1/4 teaspoon black pepper

3 lb country-style pork ribs

5 large potatoes (about 21/2 lb)

1/4 cup salad oil Paprika

1. **Make Barbecue Sauce:** In hot oil in medium saucepan, over medium heat, sauté onion, stirring, until golden – about 5 minutes.

2. Add catsup, 1 cup water, the vinegar and brown sugar; simmer, covered, 20 minutes.

3. Stir in remaining sauce ingredients. Simmer, covered, 10 minutes. Makes 2 cups.

4. Preheat oven to 375F. Wipe meat with damp paper towels. Arrange spareribs in single layer in shallow roasting pan.

5. Brush with barbecue sauce. Bake, uncovered (basting every 20 minutes), one hour and 20 minutes, turn after 40 minutes.

6. Meanwhile, pare potatoes; cut lengthwise into ½-inch pieces, then crosswise in ½-inch pieces.

7. Place in shallow pan; toss in salad oil, and sprinkle with paprika.

8. Bake along with ribs, turning occasionally, about 11/4 hours, or until lightly browned and crisp.

Makes 8 Servings

*Note:* Or use your favorite prepared barbecue sauce.

## COUNTRY RIBS WITH SAUERKRAUT AND POTATO

31/2-ib country-style pork ribs

1 cup chopped onion 1 clove garlic, pressed

Boiling water
1 can (1 lb) stewed
tomatoes

Salt

1/4 teaspoon pepper 1/2 bay leaf 2 lb sauerkraut, undrained 8 large potatoes (3 lb) 1 tablespoon chopped parsley

1. Wipe ribs with damp paper towels.

2. Rub a large, heavy skillet with a slice of fat from the ribs. Heat skillet; sauté pork ribs, several at a time, until well browned all over – about 20 minutes in all; remove browned ribs to pan. Pour off excess fat.

3. In remaining fat in skillet, sauté onion and garlic, stirring, until golden – about 5 minutes.

4. Return pork ribs to skillet. Add 1 cup boiling

water, the stewed tomatoes, 1 teaspoon salt, the pepper and bay leaf. Bring to boiling; simmer, covered, 30 minutes.

5. Add sauerkraut; continue cooking 60 minutes, or until meat is tender.

6. Meanwhile, wash and pare potatoes. Turn into 3½-quart saucepan. Cover with boiling water; add 1 teaspoon salt. Cook, covered, 35 minutes, until tender. Drain.

7. Turn pork ribs and sauerkraut into large warm serving dish. Arrange potatoes in center; sprinkle with parsley.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS



## ROAST FRESH PORK WITH STUFFING

## Stuffing

2 tablespoons butter or margarine

1/3 cup chopped onion 6 slices white bread, cubed

2 tablespoons chopped parsley

1/2 teaspoon dried thyme leaves

1/2 teaspoon salt Dash pepper

4-lb bone-in fresh pork shoulder

1 teaspoon salt

2 cups sliced onion 1 can (10³/4 oz) condensed chicken broth, undiluted

2 lb small sweet potatoes, pared (6)

3 large baking apples, cut into quarters

3 tablespoons allpurpose flour 1/4 cup water

1. **Make Stuffing:** In hot butter in medium skillet, sauté chopped onion, stirring, until tender – about 5 minutes. Remove from heat; add bread cubes, parsley, thyme, ½ teaspoon salt and dash pepper. Toss lightly to combine.

2. Preheat oven to 375F

3. Wipe pork with damp towels. Make slashes in fat on top (not in meat). Make a large pocket above the bone. Rub with salt and pepper. Fill pocket with stuffing. Place pork, fat side up, in shallow, open roasting pan.

4. Roast, uncovered, 1 hour. Remove from oven. Reduce temperature to 350F.

5. Drain drippings from pan, and discard. Arrange onion slices around pork; pour chicken broth into pan. Insert meat thermometer into thickest part of meat; it should not rest on bone or fat. Cover with foil

6. Roast, covered, 1 hour. Arrange sweet potatoes

around pork. Roast, covered 45 minutes. Arrange apple quarters around pork. Roast, covered, 15 minutes, or until apples and potatoes are tender. Remove from oven. Pour drippings into medium saucepan, and set aside.

7. Skim off excess fat from drippings in saucepan. Measure liquid; add water to make  $1^3$ /4 cups; return to saucepan. Mix flour with  $^{1}$ /4 cup water until smooth. Stir into drippings; bring to boiling, stirring constantly. Reduce heat, and simmer 3 minutes. Serve with pork.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## SMOKED PORK BUTT, CARROTS AND CABBAGE

21/4-lb boneless smoked pork shoulder butt Water 4 black peppercorns 2 whole cloves 1 bay leaf 1/2 cup apricot preserves

1 tablespoon sugar 2 tablespoons butter or margarine

## **Buttered Carrots**

4 large carrots, pared and cut on diagonal into 1/8-inch thick slices 1/2 teaspoon salt Buttered Cabbage 21/4 teaspoons salt 3 quarts shredded cabbage (21/2 lb) 1/4 cup butter or margarine 1 tablespoon cider

vinegar
1/4 teaspoon pepper

- 1. Remove wrapping from pork butt. Place butt in 6-quart kettle or Dutch oven; cover with water. Add peppercorns, cloves and bay leaf; bring to boiling. Reduce heat, and simmer 1 hour and 45 minutes (45 minutes per pound), or until pork is fork-tender. Remove from heat; let meat cool in water 2 hours. 2. Preheat oven to 375F. Remove meat from cooking liquid, and place in shallow roasting pan. Spread apricot preserves over top.
- 3. Bake, uncovered, 40 minutes.
- 4. Meanwhile, **prepare Buttered Carrots:** In 1 inch boiling water, cook carrots with ½ teaspoon salt and the sugar 10 minutes, or until tender. Drain; add 2 tablespoons butter. Cover, keep warm.
- 5. Also, **prepare Buttered Cabbage:** In 1 quart boiling water with 1 teaspoon salt, cook cabbage 5 minutes, or just until tender. Drain well; toss with butter, vinegar, remaining salt and the pepper.
- 6. To serve: Arrange cabbage in center of large platter. Cut pork butt into 1-inch slices, and place on cabbage. Arrange carrots around edge of platter. MAKES 8 SERVINGS



## BAKED HAM BUTT WITH SWEET POTATOES AND ONION

5-lb fully-cooked ham, butt end 11/2 lb sweet potatoes, peeled, sliced 1/2 inch

thick 6 to 8 medium onions, peeled and parboiled 10 minutes 1 bottle (10 oz) ginger ale 1/2 cup orange marmalade Butter or margarine

- 1. Preheat oven to 350F. Wipe ham with damp paper towels. Place in roasting pan without rack. Arrange potato slices and onions in single layer around ham. Pour ginger ale over all.
- 2. Bake, uncovered, basting every 30 minutes with pan juices. Bake 1 hour. Turn potatoes and onions over. Spread ham with half of marmalade; bake 30 minutes longer. Spread with rest of marmalade; bake, basting frequently, 30 minutes, or until vegetables are tender.
- 3. Arrange ham and vegetables on platter. Spoon some of pan juices over them. Dot potatoes with butter.

Makes 8 to 10 servings

## **HAM-AND-POTATO PIE**

6 large potatoes (3 lb)
1 pkg (11 oz) piecrust mix
3 tablespoons allpurpose flour
6 oz Cheddar cheese,
shredded (1 cup)
1 large onion, sliced
1 to 2 cups leftover ham
pieces

1 tablespoon margarine
2 cloves garlic, minced
11/2 teaspoons salt
1/4 teaspoon pepper
1/8 teaspoon ground
nutmeg
1 cup milk
1 egg yolk
1/2 cup light cream

- 1. Pare potatoes; slice very thin. Cover with cold water in large bowl.
- 2. Make piecrust mix as the package label directs. Preheat oven to 350F.
- 3. Toss flour with the cheese.
- 4. Drain potato thoroughly. Layer in a greased 8-cup oval or round shallow baking dish with onion, cheese mixture, ham, margarine, garlic, salt, pepper and nutmeg. Top layer should be potato. Pour milk over potato.
- 5. Roll out pastry to 15-by-11-inch rectangle, or a 13-inch circle for round dish. Fit over potato mixture; turn under and flute edges. Cut four gashes in pastry, to allow steam to escape. Mix egg yolk with 1 tablespoon cream; brush over pastry.
- 6. Bake 1 hour, or until pastry is golden-brown and potato is done. Remove from oven; pour remaining cream through vents into pie. Let stand 15 minutes before serving.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

## HAM-AND-CORN PIE

1 pkg (11 oz) piecrust mix
1/4 cup butter or
margarine
1 cup finely chopped
onion
1/4 cup all-purpose flour
1/2 teaspoon salt

Dash ground nutmeg
Dash pepper
1 egg yolk
3/4 cup leftover cooked
ham
2 cups canned or cooked
corn

1 egg white

1. Prepare piecrust mix ahead of time; refrigerate.

2. In hot butter in large heavy skillet, sauté onion, stirring, until tender -5 minutes. Over low heat, stir flour and salt into onion; stir in milk; bring to boiling, stirring. Remove from heat. Add nutmeg and pepper.

3. Stir some of hot mixture into egg yolk; pour back into skillet. Add ham and corn; mix well. Preheat

oven to 400F.

11/2 cups milk

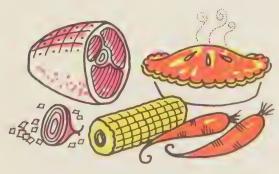
4. Roll half of pastry into an 11-inch circle; use to line a 9-inch pie plate. Roll the other half of the pastry into an 11-inch circle. (If you wish, you can make this a one-crust pie, omitting the bottom crust.)

5. Pour ham-and-corn filling into pie shell. Arrange top crust. Press edge together to seal. Make several cuts in center for steam vents. Trim edge, leaving ½-inch overhang. Turn under all around. Crimp edge.

6. Brush surface of the pastry with egg white that has been beaten slightly with a little water.

7. Bake about 40 minutes, or until crust is golden. Serve hot.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS



## GLAZED SMOKED PORK WITH VEGETABLES

21/2 to 3-lb boneless smoked pork-shoulder butt 4 black peppercorns 2 whole cloves 1 bay leaf

4 large carrots 1-lb rutabaga Salt

1 tablespoon sugar 4 tablespoons margarine

marmalade

1. Place pork butt in 6-quart kettle or Dutch oven:

1. Place pork butt in 6-quart kettle or Dutch oven; cover with water. Add peppercorns, cloves, bay

leaf. Bring to boiling; reduce heat; simmer about 2 hours (45 minutes per pound); or until pork is forktender. Remove from heat; let meat cool in water – about 2 hours.

2. Preheat oven to 375F. Remove meat from cooking liquid, and place in shallow roasting pan. Spread marmalade over top.

3. Bake, uncovered, 15 minutes.

4. Meanwhile, prepare carrots and rutabaga; Pare each. Cut into sticks, 3 to 4 inches long and 1/2 inch thick. In 1 inch of boiling water, cook carrots with 1/2 teaspoon salt and the sugar 15 minutes, or until tender; drain. Add 2 tablespoons margarine.

5. Also, cook rutabaga in 1 inch boiling water with 1 teaspoon salt, covered, 20 minutes, or until tender; drain; add 2 tablespoons margarine.

6. To serve: Cut pork butt into ½-inch slices, and place in center of large platter. Arrange carrots and rutabaga around edge of platter.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

## BAKED LENTIL AND HAM CASSEROLE

2 cups lentils
31/2-lb ham shank
1 onion, stuck with whole
clove
2 bay leaves
2 bacon slices
12 small white onions,
peeled
1/2 teaspoon dried thyme
leaves

1/2 teaspoon dried marjoram leaves 2 teaspoons salt 1/2 teaspoon pepper 6 carrots, scraped and cut in chunks 1 cup Burgundy wine 1/4 cup buttered fresh bread crumbs

- 1. Combine lentils, ham shank, onion with clove, bay leaves, and 1 quart water in large saucepan; bring to boiling.
- 2. Reduce heat; simmer, covered, 30 minutes.
- 3. Drain lentils. Discard onion with clove and bay leaves.
- 4. Cut meat from ham shank into large chunks, trimming off excess fat.
- 5. Preheat oven to 350F.
- 6. Meanwhile, sauté bacon in medium skillet until crisp; then remove it, and crumble.
- 7. Sauté white onions in hot bacon fat, turning, until browned.
- 8. Mix thyme, marjoram, salt, and pepper.
- 9. Layer half of lentils in 2-quart casserole. Sprinkle with half of thyme mixture. Add ham, onions, carrots, and bacon. Add rest of lentils. Sprinkle with rest of thyme mixture. Pour Burgundy over top.

10. Bake, covered, 1½ hours, or until the vegetables are tender.

11. Sprinkle with buttered crumbs; bake, uncovered, 15 minutes longer, or until golden. MAKES 6 SERVINGS

1/3 cup orange

## **UPSIDE-DOWN HAM LOAF**

2 tablespoons butter or margarine

1/2 cup light brown sugar, packed

1 can (1 lb, 4 oz) sliced pineapple in heavy syrup, drained

11 pecan or walnut halves

1 cup milk

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2 tablespoons catsup

2 tablespoons prepared brown mustard

1 teaspoon sait 1/s teaspoon pepper 2 cups soft, fine whitebread crumbs 11/2 lb ground cooked ham (4 cups) 1/2 lb ground raw pork 1/2 lb ground raw yeal 2 tablespoons finely chopped onion

2 tablespoons chopped parsley

2 tablespoons apple jelly, melted

- 1. Preheat oven to 350F. In a very heavy or iron 10-inch skillet with heat-resistant handle, melt butter over medium heat. Add brown sugar; stir until sugar is melted. Remove from heat.
- 2. Arrange 8 pineapple slices on sugar mixture. Halve remaining slices. Arrange around inside edge of skillet, rounded edge down. Put pecans in centers, face down.
- 3. In large bowl, combine milk, egg, catsup, mustard, salt and pepper; mix well. Stir in crumbs; let stand several minutes.
- 4. Add ham, pork, yeal, onion and parsley; mix well. Turn into skillet, spreading evenly. Bake, uncovered, 1 hour.
- 5. Remove from oven; let stand 10 minutes. Drain off excess liquid. Invert onto warm round serving platter. Brush with melted apple jelly. MAKES 8 SERVINGS

## **BRAISED PORK LOIN WITH TURNIP AND POTATOES**

4 lb loin of pork Salt Pepper

1/4 teaspoon ground allspice

4 cups apple cider

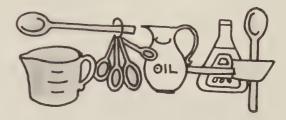
1 large (21/2 lb) yellow turnip or rutabaga. pared, quartered and sliced 5 medium potatoes

(about 3 lb)

- 1. Preheat oven to 350F.
- 2. Wipe pork with damp paper towels. Mix 1 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon pepper, and the allspice; rub into surface of pork. Place pork, fat side up, in large roasting pan with cover. Roast, uncovered, 1 hour.
- 3. Pour apple cider into bottom of pan. Add rutabaga slices. Roast, covered, 1 hour.
- 4. Meanwhile, pare and quarter potatoes.
- 5. Remove roasting pan from oven. Add potatoes to pan drippings around roast. Baste vegetables with drippings; then sprinkle with 1 teaspoon salt and 1/4 teaspoon pepper.
- 6. Roast, covered, 1 hour longer, or until turnip and

- potatoes are tender. If desired, sprinkle potatoes with paprika.
- 7. Remove roast and vegetables to heated platter: keep warm.
- 8. Skim off excess fat from drippings. Over direct heat, bring remaining drippings to boiling; boil, uncovered, 15 minutes. Spoon over pork and vegetables.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS



## STUFFED CABBAGE ROLLS, GREEK STYLE

1 large head green cabbage, about 3 lb

3/4 lb lean ground pork 1/2 cup raw long-grain

1/4 cup chopped green onion

3 tablespoons catsup

1 tablespoon dried diilweed

white rice

Salt

Dash pepper

1 egg, slightly beaten

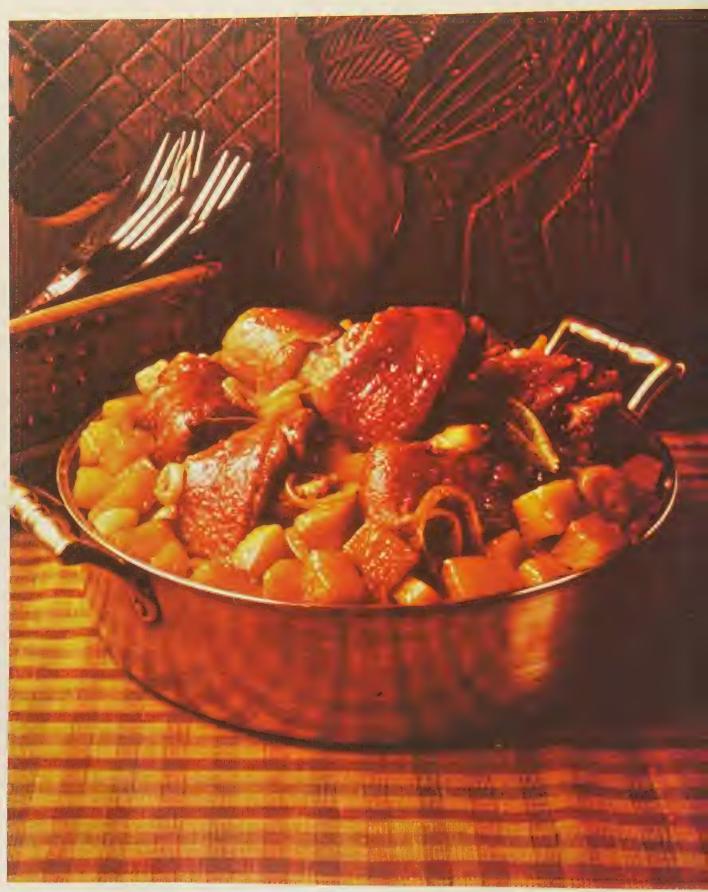
1 can (103/4 oz) condensed chicken broth, undiluted

2 tablespoons salad oil

1 tablespoon all-purpose

1 tablespoon lemon juice 1 small lemon, cut into 8 wedges (optional)

- 1. In large kettle, bring 3 cups water to boiling. Add cabbage: simmer 2 or 3 minutes, or until leaves are pliable. Remove cabbage; drain.
- 2. Carefully remove 12 large leaves from cabbage; trim thick rib. If leaves are not soft enough to roll, return to boiling water for a minute.
- 3. In large bowl, combine pork, rice, green onion, catsup, dill, 1/2 teaspoon salt, the pepper and egg. Mix with fork until well blended.
- 4. Place 2 slightly rounded tablespoons meat mixture in hollow of each of the 12 cabbage leaves. Fold side of leaf over stuffing; roll up from the thick end of the leaf.
- 5. In 5-quart Dutch oven, place a few of the remaining cabbage leaves. Arrange rolls, seams side down, on leaves. Pour chicken broth and salad oil over rolls.
- 6. Bring to boiling over medium heat. Simmer, covered, 45 minutes, basting occasionally with
- 7. To serve: Arrange cabbage rolls in warm serving dish. Measure remaining broth; add water to make 1 cup. Return to Dutch oven. Gradually blend in flour. Add lemon juice and 1/2 teaspoon salt. Bring to boiling; simmer 3 minutes; stir until smooth. Spoon over cabbage. Serve with lemon wedges. MAKES 6 SERVINGS



## FRESH-HAM HOCKS, COUNTRY STYLE Pictured

5 lb fresh-ham hocks 1 quart apple cider 1/4 cup cider vinegar 1/4 cup margarine 3 cups sliced onion 1 teaspoon sugar Salt

Pepper

4 cups cubed (1-inch) yellow turnip or rutabaga (11/2 lb)

1 bay leaf

1 jar (1 lb) applesauce

1. Preheat oven to 350F. Wash ham hocks; dry with paper towels. Arrange in 15-by-10-by-2-inch roasting pan. Pour cider and vinegar over ham hocks. Cover pan with foil; bake  $1\frac{1}{2}$  hours, basting several times with liquid.

2. Meanwhile, in hot margarine in medium skillet, sauté onion with sugar until onions are lightly browned. Sprinkle with ½ teaspoon salt and ½ teaspoon papers est acids

spoon pepper; set aside.

3. Remove ham hocks from oven; skim off fat, and discard. Add turnip; sprinkle with  $1\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoons salt and  $\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoon pepper. Add browned onion and bay leaf; bake, covered,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  hours.

4. Remove foil; spoon applesauce around ham hocks; bake, uncovered, ½ hour longer, or until ham hocks are very tender. Serve with turnips and pan liquid spooned over all. Discard bay leaf.
MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## FRANKS AND SAUERKRAUT IN BEER

10 large frankfurters (5 or 2 teaspoons caraway 6 per lb) seed
1 can (12 oz) light beer
1 can (1 lb, 11 oz) sauerkraut, drained

1. Slash frankfurters, on the diagonal, in several places. Place in large skillet with beer.

2. Cook over medium heat, covered, until hot – about 10 minutes. Remove frankfurters.

3. Stir sauerkraut and caraway into liquid in skillet; place frankfurters on top. Cook, covered, 10 minutes, or until sauerkraut is heated through.

4. Arrange sauerkraut and frankfurters on heated platter. Serve with buttered new potatoes and hot mustard.

MAKES 5 OR 6 SERVINGS

## HUNGARIAN PORK-AND-SAUERKRAUT GOULASH

2-lb boneless pork 1 te shoulder, trimmed 1 be 2 cups chopped onion 1/2 c 1 clove garlic, finely chopped 1 ca 1 teaspoon dried dillweed 1 cu

1 teaspoon caraway seed

1 teaspoon salt
1 beef-bouillon cube
1/2 cup boiling water
1 tablespoon paprika
1 can (1 lb, 11 oz)
sauerkraut
1 cup sour cream
Hot boiled potatoes

1. Wipe meat with damp paper towels. Cut meat into  $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch cubes; discard fat.

2. In large Dutch oven or heavy skillet, combine pork, onion, garlic, dill, caraway, salt, bouillon cube and boiling water; bring to boiling. Reduce heat; simmer, covered, 1 hour.

 $3.\ Stir$  in paprika until dissolved. Add sauerkraut; mix well. Simmer, covered,  $1\ hour$ , or until meat is tender.

4. Remove from heat. Gradually stir in sour cream. Return to heat until heated through; do not let boil. Serve with boiled potatoes.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## FRANKFURTERS WITH BROWN BEANS

1 lb dried pinto or red kidney beans
7 cups water
1 tablespoon salt
1 lb carrots, pared, sliced ½ inch thick
4 onions, peeled and

it cored, cut into 6
ad, sliced wedges
1 lb frankfurters
and Hot mustard (optional)

2 lb potatoes, peeled and

sliced 1/2 inch thick

2 red apples, washed,

quartered

2 cloves garlic, crushed

1. Wash beans; drain. Cover beans with 6 cups cold water. Refrigerate, covered, overnight.

2. Next day, turn beans and liquid (do not drain) into an 8-quart kettle; add salt, 1 cup water, the carrot, onion and garlic. Bring to boiling; reduce heat, and simmer gently, covered, 45 minutes.

3. Add potato slices; cook, covered, 20 minutes.

4. Add apple slices and frankfurters; cook, covered, 10 more minutes, or until all vegetables are tender but not mushy. Serve with hot mustard, if desired. MAKES 8 SERVINGS





## Poultry

## CHICKEN IN THE POT (For use in recipes calling for cooked chicken and chicken stock)

5-lb roasting chicken, cut up

1 large onion, quartered 1 tablespoon salt

6 cups water

1/2 teaspoon pepper

1 stalk celery

- 1. Wash chicken well under cold, running water; drain.
- 2. In large kettle, place chicken and giblets, 6 cups water, the celery and onion. Bring to boiling; reduce heat and simmer, covered, 20 minutes. Remove chicken legs and thighs; set aside. Continue cooking chicken 30 minutes longer. Add salt and pepper during last 5 minutes of cooking.
- 3. Lift out chicken; use as directed in recipes below. Makes 6 cups chicken stock. Use in recipes calling for chicken stock, or freeze in plastic containers for future use.

## **CHICKEN KEBABS**

## Marinade

Dash pepper

2/3 cup chili sauce 1/2 cup applesauce 1 tablespoon sugar 1 small onion, chopped 1 tablespoon soy sauce Dash salt 1/2 green pepper, parboiled and quartered 1 pared, cooked medium potato, quartered

8 cherry tomatoes 1 tablespoon salad oil

8 chunks cooked chicken (1-inch cubes), from legs and thighs

resting on edge of pan.

- 1. **Make Marinade:** In shallow glass dish, combine chili sauce, applesauce, sugar, onion, 1 tablespoon soy sauce, the salt and pepper; mix well. Use to marinate chicken, covered, 3 or 4 hours overnight.

  2. On four metal skewers, arrange pieces of chicken, green pepper, potato and tomatoes. Place skewers in shallow baking pan, with ends of skewers
- 3. Combine 1 tablespoon salad oil with remaining marinade. Use to brush chicken and vegetables.

4. Broil 4 minutes per side, 4 inches from heat, brushing with marinade once or twice. Serve skewers on rice. Heat and pass remaining marinade.

MAKES 4 SERVINGS

## CHICKEN PAPRIKASH WITH VEGETABLES

4-lb roasting chicken
21/4 teaspoons salt
1/4 teaspoon pepper
1/4 cup butter or
margarine
Paprika
1 can (10³/4 oz)
condensed chicken
broth, undiluted
Giblets (gizzard, heart)

and neck

8 small white onions, peeled 8 small carrots, pared 1/4 cup unsifted allpurpose flour 1/4 cup water 1 cup sour cream 1 tablespoon chopped parsley

- $1.\,$  Rinse chicken well; dry with paper towels. Sprinkle inside and out with  $1^1\!/\!2$  teaspoons salt and the pepper. Tuck chicken wings under body; then tie legs together at ends, with twine. If necessary, fasten skin at neck with a skewer.
- 2. In hot butter in Dutch oven, brown chicken well on all sides about 30 minutes. Turn chicken carefully with two wooden spoons do not break skin. While chicken is browning, stir 2 tablespoons paprika into fat in Dutch oven; mix well.
- 3. Add chicken broth to Dutch oven, along with giblets and neck.
- 4. Arrange onions and carrots around chicken in Dutch oven.
- 5. Simmer gently, covered, about 1 hour, or until chicken and vegetables are tender; baste with liquid frequently.
- 6. Remove chicken and vegetables to heated serving platter; cover loosely with foil; keep warm.
- 7. Remove giblets; chop fine; set aside. Discard neck.
- 8. In small bowl, blend flour with 1/4 cup water to make a smooth paste. Stir into hot liquid in Dutch oven until smooth. Add remaining 3/4 teaspoon salt.
- 9. Bring to boiling, stirring; reduce heat, and simmer 2 minutes.
- 10. Remove from heat. Slowly stir in chopped giblets and sour cream; heat gently; but do not boil.
- 11. To serve: Sprinkle vegetables with parsley. Pass sauce.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## **ROAST CHICKEN WITH VEGETABLES**

2 (2- to 21/2-lb size) broilerfryers, quartered

1 large green pepper, cut in 1-inch strips

4 medium potatoes, pared and quartered 1 clove garlic, crushed 1/3 cup salad or olive oil 1 teaspoon dried

oregano leaves 11/2 teaspoons salt

1/4 teaspoon pepper 2 teas

1/4 teaspoon paprika

- 1. Wipe chicken with damp paper towels. In large, shallow baking pan, arrange chicken pieces, greenpepper strips and potatoes in a single layer.
- 2. Preheat oven to 350F.
- 3. Combine garlic, oil and oregano; mix well. Drizzle over chicken and vegetables. Sprinkle all over with salt, pepper and paprika.
- 4. Bake, uncovered and basting frequently with pan juices, 1 hour, or until chicken and potatoes are tender.
- 5. Increase oven temperature to 400F. Bake 15 minutes to brown.
- 6. Arrange chicken with vegetables on warm serving platter. If desired, serve with spaghetti with tomato sauce or cheese.

MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS

## SAVORY BROILED CHICKEN WITH GREEN NOODLES

21/2-lb broiler-fryer, quartered

6 tablespoons lemon juice

6 tablespoons butter or margarine

1 teaspoon dried oregano leaves 1/2 teaspoon salt

1 pkg (8 oz) green

or noodles 1 lemon, thinly sliced

- 1. Wash chicken; pat dry with paper towels.
- 2. In small saucepan, combine lemon juice, butter, oregano and salt. Heat, to melt butter and blend ingredients.
- 3. Brush both sides of chicken halves with lemonbutter mixture. Place, skin side down, in broiler pan without rack.
- 4. Broil, 8 inches from heat, 25 minutes; brush with lemon butter two or three times.
- 5. Turn halves skin side up; brush with lemon-butter mixture. Broil, brushing with lemon butter two or three times, 15 minutes, or until chicken is goldenbrown and well done.
- 6. Cook green noodles following package directions; drain.
- 7. Remove chicken from broiler, brush with lemon butter.
- 8. Toss remaining lemon butter with green noodles. Arrange chicken on green noodles, and garnish with lemon slices.

MAKES 4 SERVINGS

## CHICKEN STEW WITH PARSLEY BISCUITS

3-lb broiler-fryer, cut up

1 large onion, sliced

2 teaspoons salt 1 bay leaf

1/4 teaspoon ground

pepper

1/4 teaspoon dried thyme leaves

4 large carrots, pared and sliced

Parsley Biscuits, below 1/4 cup all-purpose flour

- 1. Wipe chicken pieces with damp paper towels. Place in 6-quart Dutch oven with  $2\frac{1}{2}$  cups water. Add onion, salt, bay leaf, pepper, thyme and carrots. Bring to boiling; reduce heat, and simmer, covered, 45 minutes, or just until tender.
- $2.\ Meanwhile,\ make\ Parsley\ Biscuits.\ Preheat\ oven to\ 400F.$
- 3. Combine flour with ½ cup water in small bowl. Stir to dissolve flour. Stir flour mixture into broth in Dutch oven. Bring to boiling, stirring.
- $4.\ Place\ biscuits\ around\ top\ of\ stew.\ Bake\ 20\ minutes,\ or\ until\ golden.$

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## **PARSLEY BISCUITS**

2 cups packaged biscuit mix

2/3 cup milk

1/3 cup chopped parsley

- 1. Prepare biscuit mix with milk according to package directions.
- 2. Roll into 11-by-8-inch rectangle. Sprinkle with parsley. Roll up to make an 11-inch roll. Cut into 10 pinwheels.

## CHICKEN THIGHS PARMIGIANA

8 chicken thighs (2 lb) 1/4 cup butter or margarine

margarine
1 medium onion, sliced
2 garlic cloves, pressed

1 pkg (10 oz) frozen chopped spinach 1/2 teaspoon salt 1 teaspoon dried basil leaves

1 pkg (8 oz) spaghetti 1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese

- $1. Wash \, chicken \, thighs \, well; \, dry \, with \, paper \, towels.$
- 2. In hot butter in large skillet, sauté chicken thighs, skin side down, 5 minutes, or until golden-brown.
- 3. Add onion and garlic; sauté, covered, 5 minutes.
- 4. Push chicken to one side. Add spinach. Sprinkle with salt and basil. Simmer, covered, 15 minutes.
- 5. Meanwhile, cook spaghetti as package label directs; drain.
- 6. Turn chicken right side up. Sprinkle with 1/4 cup Parmesan cheese. Blend spinach with onion and butter. Simmer, covered, 10 minutes, or until chicken is tender. Serve on spaghetti.

Makes 4 TO 6 SERVINGS

## CHICKEN LIVERS WITH RISI BISI

2 slices bacon, chopped 1/4 cup chopped onion 1 can (103/4 oz) condensed chicken broth 1 cup raw long-grain

white rice

1 teaspoon salt 1 pkg (10 oz) frozen peas 1/2 cup chopped onion 1/4 teaspoon dried oregano leaves 1/4 teaspoon pepper 1/2 cup tomato juice 1/2 cup white wine

2 tablespoons margarine 2 tablespoons grated Parmesan cheese

## Chicken Livers

2 tablespoons margarine 1 lb chicken livers, washed and halved (remove white part)

1. In 4-quart Dutch oven, sauté bacon and onion over medium heat, stirring, about 5 mintues.

2. Add chicken broth (adding water to make 2 cups). Stir in rice and salt. Bring to boiling; reduce heat; simmer, covered, without stirring, 15 minutes, or until liquid is all absorbed and rice is tender.

3. Meanwhile, cook peas as package label directs; drain well.

4. Also, **cook Chicken Livers:** In 2 tablespoons hot margarine in skillet, sauté chicken livers and onion 6 to 8 minutes, or until brown. Stir in oregano and pepper. Gradually stir in tomato juice and wine. 5. Bring to boiling, stirring constantly. Reduce heat; simmer, uncovered, 5 minutes. Add salt, if needed. 6. Stir peas and margarine into rice. Turn into warm serving dish; sprinkle with Parmesan cheese. Spoon chicken in center.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## CHICKEN LIVERS WITH POLENTA

## **Polenta**

33/4 cups water 11/4 cups vellow cornmeal 11/2 teaspoons salt 1/2 cup grated Cheddar 1/2 cup chopped onion 1/4 teaspoon dried oregano leaves 1/4 teaspoon pepper 1/2 cup tomato juice 1 can (101/2 oz) condensed cream-ofmushroom soup, undiluted

Chopped parsley

4 tablespoons margarine 1 lb chicken livers. washed and halved (remove white part)

1. Make Polenta: In large saucepan, bring 23/4 cups water to boiling. Mix cornmeal, salt and 1 cup water. Gradually stir into boiling water. Cook over low heat, uncovered, and stirring frequently, 10 minutes. Remove from heat; add grated cheese: mix well.

2. Spoon into well-butered 4½-cup ring mold. Cover with foil; let stand in warm place to set about 15 minutes.

3. Meanwhile, in hot margarine in skillet, sauté chicken livers and onion 6 to 8 minutes, or until brown. Stir in oregano and pepper. Gradually stir in tomato juice and cream-of-mushroom soup.

4. Bring to boiling, stirring constantly. Reduce heat; simmer, uncovered, 5 minutes. Taste; season with

salt, if needed.

5. To serve: Unmold polenta onto warm serving platter. Fill center with chicken-liver mixture. Garnish with chopped parsley. MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## CHICKEN WITH SWEET POTATOES **AND BANANAS**

4-lb roasting chicken cut into 8 pieces

4 tablespoons salad oil 1/2 cup chopped onion 1 clove garlic, crushed

2 tablespoons allpurpose flour

1 teaspoon salt 1/4 teaspoon pepper

1 bay leaf

1 chicken bouillon cube dissolved in 1 cup boiling water

1 can (8 oz) tomatoes, undrained 3/4 cup water

2 large sweet potatoes (2 lb), peeled and cut into

11/2-inch slices 4 bananas, peeled and halved

1. Wash chicken; pat dry with paper towels.

2. Heat 2 tablespoons oil in large skillet; sauté chicken until well browned on both sides. Remove from skillet. Pour off drippings.

3. Add onion and garlic; sauté, stirring, about 3

4. Stir in flour, salt and pepper. Add bay leaf, chicken bouillon and tomatoes; mix well. Add 3/4 cup water.

5. Return chicken to skillet; add sweet potatoes; simmer, covered, 40 minutes, until chicken and sweet potatoes are tender.

6. Meanwhile, in medium skillet, heat remaining 2 tablespoons oil; sauté bananas until golden.

7. To serve: Arrange chicken and potatoes on a serving platter; place bananas around chicken. MAKES 8 SERVINGS

## CHICKEN-AND-NOODLE FRICASSEE **Pictured**

3-lb roasting chicken, cut

2 tablespoons butter 2 celery stalks, cut up 2 teaspoons salt

1/4 teaspoon black pepper 1 teaspoon dried sage

leaves 21/4 cups water 2 large carrots, pared and halved lengthwise 2 medium potatoes (1 lb), pared and quartered 2 medium onions, quartered 1 pkg (8 oz) very wide noodles

1/4 cup all-purpose flour Chopped parsley



- 1. Wipe chicken pieces with damp paper towels. In 6-quart Dutch oven, sauté chicken in butter until golden-brown. Add celery, salt, pepper and sage. Sauté, stirring, 3 minutes.
- 2. Add 2 cups water; bring to boiling; reduce heat and simmer, covered, 30 minutes.
- 3. Add carrots: cook 10 minutes. Add potato and onions; simmer, covered, until tender - 15 minutes.
- 4. Meanwhile, cook noodles in salted water as package label directs. Drain.
- 5. Stir flour into ½ cup water to dissolve. Remove 1/2 cup hot chicken broth; stir into flour mixture. Gently stir into Dutch oven. Bring to boiling.
- 6. To serve: Fold in noodles. Simmer, uncovered, 5 minutes. Remove to serving dish. Sprinkle with parsley.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## CHICKEN IN WINE SAUCE WITH SPAGHETTI

3 lb assorted chicken parts

2 tablespoons salad oil 4 tablespoons margarine

1 cup chopped onion

1 cup sliced celery

1 cup sliced carrot

1 can (1 lb) Italian tomatoes, undrained 1 can (6 oz) tomato paste 3/4 cup dry white wine

2 teaspoons salt

1/2 teaspoon pepper

2 whole cloves

1/8 teaspoon ground cinnamon

1 pkg (8 oz) twisted spaghetti, cooked 1. Preheat oven to 350F.

2. Rinse chicken parts well; dry with paper towels.

3. In hot salad oil and margarine in 6-quart Dutch oven, brown chicken parts well all over - takes about 10 minutes. Remove chicken pieces as they brown, and set aside.

4. In remaining fat, sauté onion, celery, and carrot over medium heat 5 minutes, stirring occasionally. 5. Stirtomatoes, tomato paste, wine, salt, pepper, cloves, and cinnamon into sautéed vegetable mixture. Heat to boiling, stirring until mixture is blended. Remove from heat.

6. Return browned chicken parts to Dutch oven; cover, and bake 1½ hours, stirring occasionally.

7. To serve, place well-drained, cooked spaghetti in deep serving dish; arrange chicken on spaghetti, and pour sauce over all.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## CHICKEN-AND-MACARONI SALAD

11/2 cups elbow macaroni

2 cooked chicken breasts, in large pieces

quartered

1 can (8 oz) sliced beets, drained

1 can (8 oz) peas, drained 1 can (81/4 oz) sliced pineapple, drained and 1/2 cup mayonnaise or cooked salad dressing 3 tablespoons sugar

1 teaspoon salt 1/8 teaspoon pepper Iceberg lettuce

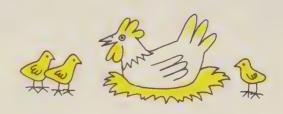
1. In 6 cups boiling water in large saucepan, cook macaroni with 1½ teaspoons salt 15 minutes, or just until tender; drain. Refrigerate to chill well.

2. Set aside several pieces of chicken, ½ cup sliced beets, ½ cup peas and 8 pineapple quarters.

3. In large bowl, combine macaroni, rest of chicken, peas, beets, pineapple and the remaining ingredients, except lettuce. Toss lightly to mix well. Refrigerate, covered, to chill well.

4. To serve, toss again. Arrange lettuce around edge of salad bowl. Fill center with salad. Garnish top with reserved beets, peas, chicken and pineapple.

MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS



## **CHICKEN PIE Pictured**

4 chicken legs, cut in half 1 large onion, peeled and quartered 3 celery tops 3 parsley sprigs 1 teaspoon salt 1/4 teaspoon ground pepper 1 bay leaf 2 cups water

8 small carrots, pared

and quartered (1 lb)

4 medium onions (1 lb), peeled and quartered 1/2 cup unsifted allpurpose flour 1 teaspoon salt 1/8 teaspoon pepper 1/2 cup milk

**Pastry** 

1/2 teaspoon dried thyme 1 pkg (11 oz) piecrust mix

1. Wash chicken. Place in large kettle with quartered onion, celery, parsley, 1 teaspoon salt, 1/4 teaspoon pepper, the bay leaf and 2 cups water.

2. Bring to boiling. Reduce heat, and simmer, covered, 1 hour, or until chicken is tender. Remove chicken; set aside to cool. Remove chicken from bones in large pieces.

3. Strain stock. In 3 cups stock (adding water if necessary) in medium saucepan, cook carrots and the white onions, covered, 20 minutes, or until vegetables are tender.

4. In small bowl, combine flour, salt and pepper. Stir in milk until smooth. Stir into vegetable-stock mixture; bring to boiling, stirring constantly. Reduce heat; simmer about 8 minutes, or until sauce is thick. Add chicken. Turn into 6 individual serving casseroles (about 1½ cups each).

5. Preheat oven to 400F.

6. Make Pastry: Add thyme to piecrust mix; prepare mix as package label directs. Divide into six pieces. On lightly floured surface or pastry cloth, roll out one piece of pastry, 1/2 inch larger all around than casserole. With cookie cutter, remove 1-inch circle of pastry from center. Place pastry on top of casserole, turning edge under; press to rim of casserole to seal. Repeat with remaining casseroles.

7. Bake 15 to 20 minutes, or until pie crust is golden and mixture is bubbly.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## LO MEIN **Pictured**

1 whole chicken breast (11/4 lb) Water Salt 1 pkg (8 oz) very thin vermicelli 2 tablespoons salad oil 1 bunch scallions, sliced 1/3 cup soy sauce

1 tablespoon cornstarch 1 can (16 oz) bean sprouts, drained; or 1/2 Ib fresh bean sprouts. rinsed and drained 2 cups shredded lettuce 1 tablespoon chopped pimiento (optional)

1. Bone chicken breast, reserving bone and skin. Slice meat into thin slices; set aside. Place bone and skin in 11/4 cups water in small saucepan. Simmer 15 minutes. Strain into a cup. If necessary, add water to make 1 cup; reserve. Discard bone and skin.

2. Bring 3 quarts water to boiling. Add 1 tablespoon salt and the vermicelli; boil 3 minutes. Drain well. 3. Heat oil in a large skillet. Sauté chicken until golden on all sides. Add scallions; sauté 1 minute longer. Add reserved chicken broth. Bring to boiling.

4. Mix soy sauce and cornstarch. Stir into chicken mixture. Cook until sauce is thickened and clear. Fold in bean sprouts, 11/2 cups lettuce and the vermicelli. Heat, stirring, until lettuce is wilted and mixture is well combined. Turn out onto serving dish. Top with remaining lettuce. Garnish with chopped nimiento.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS



## CHICKEN ENCHILADAS **Pictured**

1/2 cup water Salt

1 whole chicken breast (11/4 lb), split

2 cups coarsely chopped onion

1 tablespoon salad oil

1 clove garlic, pressed 1 can (8 oz) tomato sauce

1 can (4 oz) chopped green chilies

12 corn tortillas Milk (2 to 21/2 cups) 1/3 cup all-purpose flour 1/2 cup grated cheese (Cheddar or Monterey Jack) Pimiento strips

(optional)

1. In ½ cup water with ½ teaspoon salt in a medium saucepan, poach chicken 20 minutes. Cool. Remove chicken from broth; remove bone; chop chicken finely. Reserve broth in saucepan.

2. In a large skillet, sauté onion in oil until tender - 5 minutes. Add garlic, tomato sauce, chilies, 1/4 tea-

spoon salt and the chicken. Mix well.

3. Dip each tortilla in the warm chicken broth. Place on paper towel. Top with about 1/4 cup chicken mixture, and roll up. Place, seam side down, in a greased 12-by-8-inch baking dish. Preheat oven to 350F

4. Pour chicken broth into 1-quart measure. Add milk to make 3 cups. Place flour and 1/2 teaspoon



salt in a saucepan. Gradually stir in milk-and-broth mixture; stir until smooth. Bring to boiling, and cook, stirring, 1 minute. Pour over enchiladas. Sprinkle with cheese.

5. Bake 30 minutes, or until mixture is bubbly and cheese is lighty browned. Garnish with strips of pimiento, if desired.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## CHICKEN ORIENTALE

2 (21/2-lb size) broilerfryers, quartered 1/4 cup salad oil 1 teaspoon salt 1/4 teaspoon pepper 2 tablespoons cornstarch 3/4 cup cider vinegar 1 tablespoon soy sauce 1/4 teaspoon ground ginger

Sauce

1 can (15<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> oz) unsweetened pineapple chunks Water <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup sugar 1 chicken-bouillon cube

pepper, cut in 1/2-inchwide strips

1 large green or red

1. Wash chicken; pat dry.

2. Heat oil in large skillet. Add chicken, a few pieces at a time, and brown on all sides. Remove as browned to shallow roasting pan, arranging pieces skin side up. Sprinkle with salt and pepper.

3. Meanwhile, preheat oven to 350F.

4. **Make Sauce:** Drain the pineapple chunks, pouring syrup into 2-cup measure. Add water to make  $1^{1}/4$  cups.

5. In medium saucepan, combine sugar, cornstarch, pineapple syrup, vinegar, soy sauce, ginger and bouillon cube; bring to boiling, stirring constantly. Boil 2 minutes. Pour over chicken.

6. Bake, uncovered, 30 minutes. Add pineapple chunks and green or red pepper; bake 30 minutes longer, or until chicken is tender.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

## CHICKEN AND DUMPLINGS

4-lb roasting chicken, cut up Water 1/2 cup chopped onion 2 teaspoons salt 1 bay leaf 6 black peppercorns

2 large carrots, pared and sliced

Dumplings, right (or use packaged biscuit mix as label directs for dumplings) 31/2 tablespoons allpurpose flour 1 chicken-bouillon cube

1. Wipe chicken pieces with damp paper towels. Place in 6-quart Dutch oven with 5 cups water and giblets. Add onion, salt, bay leaf, black peppercorns and carrot. Bring to boiling; reduce heat and simmer, covered,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  hours, or until tender.

2. Let chicken cool in broth. Mince giblets fine; add to broth or use another time. Meanwhile, make Dumplings.

3. Remove chicken from broth; measure broth—there should be 5 cups. (If necessary, boil, uncovered, to reduce to 5 cups; or add water or canned chicken broth to measure 5 cups if there is not enough.)

4. Meanwhile, combine flour with 3 tablespoons water in small bowl. Stir to dissolve flour.

5. Stir flour mixture into broth in Dutch oven, along with bouillon cube. Return chicken pieces to broth. Bring to boiling, stirring; drop dumpling batter by rounded tablespoonfuls onto chicken in broth, making 11 to 12 dumplings. Bring to boiling; simmer, covered, 15 to 20 minutes, or until dumplings have risen and cooked through.

6. Serve chicken and dumplings with gravy. MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS

## **DUMPLINGS**

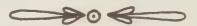
2 cups sifted all-purpose flour 2 tablespoons chopped green onion powder 1/4 teaspoon salt Dash pepper 2 tablespoons chopped green onion 1/4 cup shortening 3/4 cup milk

1. In large bowl, sift flour with baking powder, salt and pepper. Stir in green onion.

2. With pastry blender or two knives, cut shortening into the flour mixture until it resembles coarse cornmeal. With a fork, stir in the milk until mixture forms a ball and leaves side of bowl.

3. Drop on chicken mixture as directed in Step 5 of Chicken and Dumplings.

MAKES 11 TO 12



## BROWNED CHICKEN FRICASSEE WITH HOT BISCUITS

5-lb roasting chicken, cut up; or use 5 lb chicken parts

1/4 cup butter or margarine 1 can (133/4 oz) chicken

broth 1½ teaspoons salt 8 whole allspice 1 bay leaf

1/2 cup light cream 1/4 cup unsifted allpurpose flour Chopped parsley

Chopped parsley Hot Biscuits, right

1. Wash chicken under cold water; dry on paper towels. Cut legs and thighs apart, if necessary.

2. In hot butter in 6-quart Dutch oven, brown chicken pieces, half at a time, turning with tongs.

3. Pour drippings into a 1-quart measure. Skim fat from top; add chicken broth and enough water to drippings to make 4 cups.

4. Pour back into Dutch oven, along with chicken. Add salt, allspice and bay leaf. Bring to boiling, stirring. Reduce heat and simmer, covered,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  hours, or until tender.

5. Remove cooked chicken to heated serving platter; keep warm in low oven.

6. Bring liquid in Dutch oven to boiling. Boil, uncovered, to reduce to 3 cups – about 15 minutes. 7. In small bowl, gradually add light cream to flour.

stirring until smooth. Stir into hot broth in Dutch oven. Cook, stirring, until thickened – about 5 minutes. Strain.

8. Pour some of sauce over chicken. Sprinkle with parsley. Pass rest of sauce with Hot Biscuits or, if desired, rice.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS



#### HOT BISCUITS

2 cups packaged biscuit mix

1/2 cup cold water Milk

1 teaspoon dried thyme leaves

- 1. Preheat oven to 425F. Lightly grease cookie sheet.
- 2. In medium bowl, combine biscuit mix, thyme and water; mix with fork to combine; then beat vigorously 20 strokes.
- $\tilde{3}$ . Turn dough out onto a lightly floured pastry cloth; form into a ball; knead with hands five times. Roll out  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick; cut with a  $\frac{21}{2}$ -inch round cutter, to make 8 to 10 biscuits.
- 4. Place on prepared cookie sheet. Brush tops lightly with milk. Bake 8 to 10 minutes, or until goldenbrown. Serve hot.

MAKES 8 TO 10

#### CHICKEN WITH ONIONS, MEXICAN STYLE

4-lb roasting chicken, cut into 8 pieces
1/4 cup salad oil

2 cups sliced onion 1 clove garlic, crushed

1 teaspoon dried thyme leaves

1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg

1 bay leaf

1 teaspoon salt

1/8 teaspoon pepper
Cilantro or parsley
1 can (103/4 oz)
condensed chicken
broth

1 cup water

1 tablespoon all-purpose flour

- 1. Rinse chicken well; dry with paper towels.
- 2. In hot oil in large skillet, brown chicken well on all sides about 30 minutes. Remove as browned.
- 3. In remaining fat in skillet, sauté onion, garlic, thyme, nutmeg and bay leaf; sauté, stirring, until onion is golden.
- 4. Return chicken to skillet. Add salt, pepper, 1 sprig cilantro, chicken broth and 1 cup water.
- 5. Bring to boiling; simmer, covered, 50 to 60 minutes, or until tender.
- $6. \ Remove chicken to warm serving platter. \ Add 1 \\ tablespoon flour combined with 2 tablespoons \\ water to skillet; bring to boiling. Spoon onion sauce \\ over chicken. \ Sprinkle with chopped cilantro.$

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

#### DRUMSTICK-AND-SAUSAGE PAELLA

3 lb chicken drumsticks (12)

2 tablespoons allpurpose flour

1/4 cup salad or olive oil 1/2 lb sweet Italian sausage, sliced into

1-inch pieces 3 green peppers (3/4 lb),

chopped 1½ cups chopped onion 3 cloves garlic, crushed

1 bay leaf

4 teaspoons paprika 2 teaspoons salt

2 cups raw long-grain white rice

1 can (1 lb, 12 oz) tomatoes, undrained 1 can (10<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> oz)

condensed chicken broth, undiluted Water

1/4 cup sliced stuffed green olives

- 1. Wash drumsticks under cold running water; drain. Wipe dry with paper towel. Coat with flour.
- 2. In hot oil in heavy 6-quart Dutch oven, over medium heat, brown chicken, half at a time, until golden-brown all over. Remove chicken as it browns. Brown sausage: remove.
- 3. Preheat oven to 350F.
- 4. To drippings in Dutch oven, add green pepper, onion, garlic and bay leaf; sauté, stirring, over medium heat until onion is tender 5 minutes.
- 5. Add paprika, salt and rice to Dutch oven. Cook, stirring, until rice is lightly browned and coated with paprika about 10 minutes.
- 6. Add the undrained tomatoes to chicken broth; add enough water to make 4 cups; mix well; add to Dutch oven. Bring just to boiling. Remove from heat. Discard bay leaf.
- 7. Arrange chicken legs and sausage on top. Bake, covered, 1 hour, or until chicken legs are tender and rice has absorbed all liquid. Remove from oven. Serve garnished with sliced olives.

MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS

#### CHICKEN AND CABBAGE ORIENTALE

3 tablespoons salad oil 1½ cups slivered, cooked chicken

2 pared carrots, thinly sliced on diagnonal

2 teaspoons salt 4 cups coarsely sliced green cabbage 1/2 cup water chestnuts, thinly sliced 1 tablespoon cornstarch

1/3 cup water Soy sauce

- 1. In hot oil in large skillet, sauté chicken and carrot over high heat, stirring, about 5 minutes.
- 2. Sprinkle with salt; add cabbage and water chestnuts; cook 15 to 20 minutes, or until vegetables are tender.
- 3. Meanwhile, dissolve cornstarch in ½ cup water; stir into vegetable mixture. Cook, stirring, until liquid is thickened and translucent. Serve at once, with sov sauce.

MAKES 4 OR 5 SERVINGS

#### CHICKEN-AND-VEGETABLE STEW

4-lb roasting chicken, cut in 8 pieces 2 tablespoons salad oil 2 tablespoons butter or margarine

1 cup chopped onion 2 tablespoons chopped parsley

1 teaspoon ground cumin 1/2 teaspoon salt

Dash pepper
1 can (10<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> oz)
condensed chicken
broth, undiluted

4 large potatoes (11/2 lb), peeled, sliced 1/2 inch thick

4 large carrots, pared, cut on diagonal into 1-inch pieces

2 tablespoons lemon juice

2 tablespoons allpurpose flour 1/2 cup water

2 tablespoons chopped parsley

1. Wash chicken parts; pat dry with paper towels. 2. In hot oil and butter in 6-quart Dutch oven, sauté chicken parts, half at a time, until well browned – about 25 minutes. Remove chicken.

3. To remaining fat in Dutch oven, add onion, parsley, cumin, salt and pepper. Sauté, stirring, until onion is transparent.

4. Add chicken broth; bring to boiling, stirring. Return chicken pieces to Dutch oven. Add potato, carrot and lemon juice. Simmer, covered, 35 minutes, or until vegetables and chicken are tender. 5. In small bowl, combine flour and ½ cup water; mix until smooth. Stir into chicken mixture. Bring to boiling; simmer 1 minute.

6. Turn into serving dish, and sprinkle with chopped parsley.

Makes 8 Servings

#### CHICKEN LIVERS CRÉCY

11/2 lb chicken livers

1 teaspoon salt

pepper

or butter

1/8 teaspoon black

1/4 cup white wine

1/4 cup all-purpose flour

3 tablespoons margarine

8 medium carrots, pared (1 lb)
1 can (101/2 oz)
condensed beef broth, undiluted
1 bay leaf
1 medium onion, peeled

1 bay leaf
1 medium onion, peeled
and studded with 4
whole cloves
1 cup celery leaves,

whole cloves 1 tablespoon chopped cup celery leaves, parsley tightly packed

1. Thinly slice carrots crosswise. In medium saucepan, bring beef broth to boiling. Add carrot, bay leaf, onion studded with cloves and the celery leaves. Cook, covered, over medium heat about 10 minutes, or until carrot is tender.

2. Meanwhile, wipe livers with damp paper towels.
3. On waxed paper, combine flour, salt and pepper; mix well. Roll livers in flour mixture; shake off excess.

4. In hot margarine in large skillet, sauté livers, turn-

ing on all sides, until light brown — about 5 minutes in all

5. Drain carrot, reserving ½ cup broth. Discard bay leaf, onion and celery leaves. Add wine, carrot and reserved broth to livers; cook gently 3 minutes longer. Turn onto hot platter. Sprinkle with parsley. Nice served with rice.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

#### CHICKEN LIVERS EN BROCHETTE

11/2 lb chicken livers (about 24) 1 teaspoon dried tarragon leaves 1 bay leaf

#### Marinade

1/3 cup salad oil 3 tablespoons wine vinegar 1 teaspoon salt 2 green peppers 6 small white onions, peeled 12 cherry tomatoes

1/8 teaspoon pepper

1. Wash chicken livers; dry on paper towels.

2. **Make Marinade**. Combine marinade ingredients in jar with tight-fitting lid; shake well. Pour over livers in shallow baking dish. Refrigerate, covered, 2 hours.

3. Cut green peppers into 12 large squares. In small amount of boiling water, cook peppers and onions, covered, 10 minutes, or until tender.

4. Remove chicken livers from marinade; drain slightly. Arrange chicken livers on six skewers, alternating with green-pepper squares and tomatoes; place one onion on each skewer.

5. Arrange skewers in a shallow pan. Brush with some of marinade. Broil 4 inches from heat 10 minutes, turning once and brushing with more marinade. Nice served on rice.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

#### TURKEY CHOW MFIN

2 tablespoons salad oil
1 cup thinly sliced onion
2 cups sliced celery,
sliced on diagonal
1/2 cup leftover turkey
gravy (see Note)
1 can (101/2 oz)
condensed cream-ofmushroom soup,
undiluted

1/4 cup soy sauce
2 cups slivered leftover
roast turkey
1 can (16 oz) bean
sprouts, drained
1 tablespoon cornstarch
1/2 cup water
1 can (3 oz) Chinese
noodles

1. In hot oil in large skillet, sauté onion and celery, stirring, until onion is golden – about 5 minutes.
2. Add gravy, soup and soy sauce; bring to boiling, stirring. Add turkey and bean sprouts; return to boiling. Reduce heat; simmer, covered, 5 minutes.

3. Combine cornstarch with ½ cup cold water, stirring until smooth. Add some of hot mixture to cornstarch; pour back into skillet, mixing well.

4. Bring to boiling, stirring, until mixture is thickened and translucent - about 5 minutes. Serve with Chinese noodles (or cooked rice). If desired, garnish with green onions.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

Note: Or use 1/2 cup canned chicken gravy.

#### TURKEY-AND-VEGETABLE PIE

2 tablespoons butter or margarine

1/2 lb small white onions. peeled

1/2 cup chopped celery 6 tablespoons all-

purpose flour 1 teaspoon salt

1/a teaspoon pepper 1/2 teaspoon dried thyme

leaves

1 cup canned chicken broth

1 cup milk

1 can (12 oz) whole-kernel corn or 1 pkg (10 oz) frozen peas

3 cups cooked turkey, in large pieces

1 lb potatoes, pared and diced Pastry for 1-crust pie

1 egg yolk

- 1. Heat butter in large skillet or Dutch oven. Add onions and celery; cook, covered, 10 minutes; remove from heat.
- 2. Stir in flour, salt, pepper and thyme until well combined. Gradually add broth and milk. Add corn or peas, turkey and potato.
- 3. Bring to boiling, stirring constantly. Reduce heat; simmer, stirring occasionally, 10 minutes. Turn into a 2-quart shallow baking dish.

4. Preheat oven to 400F. Make pastry.

5. Roll pastry to fit top of baking dish with a ½-inch overhang. Place over turkey mixture; turn edge under; seal to rim of dish, and crimp. Make several slits in top for steam vents. Beat egg yolk with 1 teaspoon water; brush over pastry.

6. Bake 30 minutes, or until crust is deep golden.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

#### SWEET-AND-SOUR TURKEY

2 whole turkey legs and thighs (about 2 lb), cut at joints 1/2 cup all-purpose flour 2 tablespoons salad oil

or shortening 1 teaspoon salt

1/4 teaspoon pepper

Sauce

1 can (131/2 oz) pineapple chunks

1 cup sugar

3 tablespoons cornstarch

3/4 cup cider vinegar 3 tablespoons soy sauce

1/2 teaspoon ground

1 chicken-bouillon cube

1 large green pepper, cut in 1/2-inch wide strips

- 1. Wash turkey; pat dry with paper towels. Coat with flour.
- 2. Heat oil in large skillet. Add turkey, a few pieces at a time; brown on all sides. Remove as browned to shallow roasting pan, arranging skin side up. Sprinkle with salt and pepper.

3. Meanwhile, preheat oven to 350F.

- 4. Make Sauce. Drain pineapple chunks, pouring syrup into 2-cup measure. Add water to make 11/4 cups.
- 5. In medium saucepan, combine sugar, cornstarch, pineapple syrup, vinegar, soy sauce, ginger and bouillon cube; bring to boiling, stirring. Boil 2 minutes. Pour over turkey.
- 6. Bake, uncovered, 2½ hours. Add pineapple chunks and green pepper; bake 30 minutes longer, uncovered and basting several times, or until turkey is tender. Nice served with white rice.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

#### **TURKEY RAGOUT**

Butter or margarine 1 large onion, sliced 1/2 cup sliced celery 2 medium zucchini,

sliced (about 3 cups) 4 cups cooked turkey, in large chunks (about

11/2 inches) 1/2 lb small fresh mushrooms

1 can (1 lb) whole carrots, drained

2/3 cup dry white wine (see Note)

2/3 cup canned condensed chicken broth

1 can (101/2 oz) condensed cream-ofcelery soup

1 can (101/2 oz) condensed cream-ofchicken soup

1/4 teaspoon dried thyme leaves

1/4 teaspoon dried marioram leaves Chopped parsley

1. Preheat oven to 350F.

2. In 4 tablespoons hot butter in large, heavy skillet, sauté onion, celery, and zucchini until almost tender and lightly browned - about 10 to 15 minutes. Combine with turkey in a 3-quart casserole.

3. In same skillet, brown mushrooms, adding more butter if needed. Add to casserole. Add carrots.

4. Stir wine into drippings in skillet, then undiluted chicken broth, celery soup, chicken soup, thyme, and marjoram. Bring to boiling, stirring to loosen browned bits in pan. Pour wine mixture over turkey and vegetables in casserole, and mix lightly with a fork.

5. Bake, covered, 1 hour, or until bubbling in center. Sprinkle with chopped parsley.

MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS

Note: Or use canned condensed chicken broth.



# FILLETS OF SOLE AU GRATIN Pictured (page 40)

2 pkg (12-oz size) frozen sole fillets, partially thawed

2 tablespoons lemon juice

2 tablespoons butter or margarine 1/2 cup chopped onion

2 cans (8-oz size) tomato

1/2 teaspoon salt

1/2 teaspoon sugar 1/4 teaspoon pepper

1/4 cup chopped parsley

1 pkg (9 oz) frozen cut green beans Mashed-Potato Topping

1 env (for 6 servings) instant mashed potato

2/3 cup milk 1/4 cup butter or

1/4 cup butter or margarine

1 teaspoon salt 1/8 teaspoon pepper

1 egg yolk

2 tablespoons grated Parmesan cheese

1. Preheat oven to 375F. Butter a 2-quart, shallow baking dish. Roll up each fillet, darker side inside; fasten with wooden picks. (Cut wide fillets in half lengthwise.) Set rolls on end in baking dish. Sprinkle with lemon juice.

2. In 2 tablespoons hot butter in medium skillet, sauté onion, stirring, until golden. Add tomato sauce, ½ teaspoon salt, the sugar, ¼ teaspoon pepper and the parsley. Bring just to boiling; pour over fillets. Bake, uncovered, 20 to 25 minutes, or until fish flakes easily when pierced with fork.

3. Cook green beans as package label directs; drain.

4. **Make Potato Topping:** Prepare mashed potato as label directs, with ½ cup milk; add rest of ingredients.

5. Spoon green beans around fish. Pipe potatoes around edge of baking dish through a pastry bag with number-6 or -8 tip, making a border.

6. Sprinkle potato with cheese. Broil 3 to 5 minutes, or until golden.

MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS

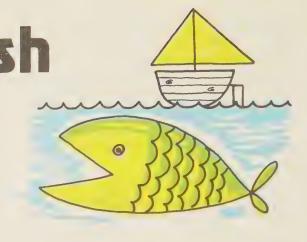
#### **BAKED FISH CASSEROLE**

2 pkg (1-lb size) frozen sole, flounder or cod fillets, slightly thawed 1/2 teaspoon salt

2 tablespoons lemon

1 large onion, thinly sliced

<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> red or green pepper, thinly sliced 1/4 teaspoon dried dillweed 2 tablespoons packaged dry bread crumbs 1 tablespoon butter or margarine, melted Parsley



1. Preheat oven to 375F. Cut each block of fish crosswise into four pieces.

2. Arrange in shallow baking dish.

3. Sprinkle with salt and lemon juice. Then layer with onion, red pepper and dill. Bake, covered, 40 minutes.

4. Combine crumbs and melted butter. Sprinkle overtop of casserole; bake, uncovered, 10 minutes, or until golden-brown. Garnish with parsley.

MAKES 4 SERVINGS

#### **CRISPY FISH FILLETS**

1/4 cup butter or margarine, melted 1/4 teaspoon paprika 1/4 teaspoon salt 1/2 cup crushed saltine crackers 1/2 cup crushed potato chips 4 fish fillets (about 1 lb)—see Note Lemon slices

1. Preheat oven to 350F. Combine butter, paprika and salt in a bowl. Place cracker and potato-chip crumbs on waxed paper. Dip fillets in butter, then in crumbs, coating well. Place in single layer in shallow baking pan.

2. Bake 10 minutes. Then broil, 5 inches from broiler, 6 to 8 minutes on each side, or until fish flakes easily with a fork. Serve with lemon.

MAKES 4 SERVINGS

*Note:* Use flounder, turbot, cod, halibut. If frozen, let thaw completely.

#### HALIBUT WITH CHINESE VEGETABLES

1 pkg (1 lb) frozen halibut fillets, partially thawed 3 tablespoons salad or

peanut oil

1/2 cup chopped onion 1 cup scallions, sliced thinly on the diagonal Dry sherry 1 teaspoon salt

1/4 teaspoon ground cardamom

1 can (1 lb) bean sprouts

1 tablespoon cornstarch 1 tablespoon soy sauce

2 tablespoons pimiento, in 1/2-inch squares 1. Preheat oven to 375F. Butter an 8-by-8-by-2-inch baking dish.

2. Cut fish in four pieces; drain.

3. In hot oil in large skillet, sauté onion until golden. Stir in scallions,  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup sherry, the salt, cardamom and bean sprouts. Cook, covered, 5 minutes.

4. Meanwhile, in small bowl, combine cornstarch, soy sauce and 3 tablespoons sherry; mix until smooth. Gradually add to bean-sprout mixture, stirring constantly. Cook until mixture starts to boil and becomes transparent.

5. Turn half of bean-sprout mixture into bottom of prepared dish. Arrange fish pieces on top. Spoon remaining mixture over top of fish.

6. Cover dish with foil. Bake 25 to 30 minutes, or until fish flakes easily.

7. Garnish with pimiento.

MAKES 4 SERVINGS

## FILLET OF SOLE WITH BROCCOLI Pictured (pages 40-41)

Sauce

1/4 cup butter or margarine

1/4 cup unsifted all-purpose flour

1 teaspoon salt

1 teaspoon dried tarragon leaves

1/8 teaspoon pepper

2 cups milk

1/2 cup dry white wine

2 tablespoons lemon juice 2 pkg (1-lb size) frozen sole or flounder fillets, partially thawed

2 tablespoons lemon

juice Salt Pepper

2 tablespoons grated Parmesan cheese

2 pkg (10-oz size) frozen chopped broccoli

1. **Make Sauce:** In medium saucepan, slowly heat butter just until melted. Remove from heat.

2. Add flour, 1 teaspoon salt, the tarragon and ½ teaspoon pepper; stir until smooth. Add milk, a little at a time, stirring after each addition.

3. Over medium heat, bring to boiling, stirring constantly. Reduce heat. Stir in wine. Simmer 3 minutes.

4. Cook broccoli according to package directions; drain well. Return to saucepan. Add 1 cup sauce and 2 tablespoons lemon juice; mix gently.

5. Preheat oven to 375F. Butter a 2-quart shallow baking dish.

6. Brush fillets with lemon juice; sprinkle lightly with salt and pepper. Arrange down center of dish, overlapping. Spoon broccoli around edge.

7. Spoon remaining sauce over fish. Cover dish with foil. Bake 25 minutes.

8. Remove foil; sprinkle fish with cheese. Broil 4 inches from heat, just until golden — about 3 minutes. MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS

#### COUNTRY-STYLE FISH CASSEROLE

1/2-lb slab bacon, cut into 1/2-inch pieces 1 cup sliced onion

1/2 cup cut-up green pepper (1/2-inch squares)

2 cups cut-up potato (1/2-inch cubes) 1 cup sliced mushrooms

(1/4 lb)

11/2 teaspoons salt
1/2 teaspoon dried thyme
leaves

1/4 teaspoon white pepper

Sauce

1 tablespoon flour 1 cup dry white wine 1/2 teaspoon salt Dash white pepper Dash dried thyme leaves

2 pkg (12-oz size) frozen sole fillets, partially thawed

1. Preheat oven to 375F. Butter a 2-quart shallow round baking dish.

2. In large skillet, sauté bacon until crisp; remove. Reserve ½ cup fat.

3. Return fat to skillet; add onion, green pepper, potato, mushrooms,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoons salt,  $\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoon thyme and  $\frac{1}{4}$  teaspoon white pepper. Cook over medium heat, stirring frequently, until potato is almost tender -15 minutes.

4. **Make Sauce:** In saucepan, combine ingredients; mixing until smooth. Bring to boiling over medium heat, stirring. Simmer 2 minutes.

5. Separate fillets; arrange in dish.

6. Spoon vegetable mixture over top; pour sauce over all; arrange reserved bacon on top.

7. Bake, uncovered, 25 to 30 minutes, or until fish flakes easily.

MAKES 4 SERVINGS





#### **FLOUNDER MARINARA**

2 tablespoons butter or margarine 1 cup sliced onion

2 tablespoons allpurpose flour

1 can (1 lb) stewed tomatoes

1/2 teaspoon dried basil leaves 1 pkg (16 oz) frozen flounder fillets 1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese

1. Preheat oven to 375F.

2. In hot butter in skillet with heatproof handle, over medium heat, sauté onion, stirring, about 5 minutes. Remove from heat; stir in flour, stewed tomatoes and basil. Mix until smooth.

3. Slice frozen fillets in 6 pieces (thaw slightly, if necessary). Place in sauce. Sprinkle with Parmesan cheese

4. Bake, covered, 10 minutes. Remove cover; bake 5 to 7 minutes longer, or until golden.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

*Note:* If desired, remove cover; broil 6 inches from heat until golden – 5 to 7 minutes.





#### SAVORY HALIBUT CASSEROLE Pictured (page 41)

2 pkg (16-oz size) frozen halibut or cod, partially thawed 1/4 cup butter or margarine 1 cup sliced onion 1 small green pepper, sliced into 8 thin rings 1/2 cup celery, thinly

sliced

1 clove garlic, crushed 1 teaspoon salt 1/4 teaspoon pepper 1 teaspoon dried basil 1/2 cup dry white wine 8 lemon slices 1 can (141/2 oz) sliced baby tomatoes,

undrained

- 1. Preheat oven to 375F. Butter a 12-by-8-by-2inch baking dish.
- 2. In hot butter in medium skillet, sauté onion, green pepper, celery and garlic until tender - about 5 minutes.
- 3. Add remaining ingredients. Bring to boiling, stirring, simmer, uncovered, 15 minutes. Spoon 1 cup sauce into bottom of prepared baking dish.
- 4. Cut each package of fish into four pieces. Place in prepared dish.
- 5. On each piece of fish arrange, in this order, a green-pepper ring, onion slice, lemon slice and tomato slice.
- 6. Spoon remaining sauce over all.
- 7. Bake, covered with foil, 20 minutes, basting once with pan liquid. Remove foil; bake 10 minutes, or until fish flakes easily.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

#### COD DELMONICO

2 lb cod steaks 1/2 bay leaf 3/4 teaspoon salt 3 black peppercorns 1/3 cup margarine 1/4 cup unsifted all1/4 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce 1/s teaspoon hot redpepper sauce 2 cups milk 6 hard-cooked eggs 6 slices white bread

purpose flour 3/4 teaspoon seasoned sait

- 1. Rinse cod steaks in cold water; pat dry with paper towels. Place in large skillet; add bay leaf, salt, peppercorns and 2 cups water; bring to boiling; reduce heat, and simmer, covered, 15 minutes. Remove the skillet from heat.
- 2. Drain cod well. Remove and discard skin and bones. With a fork, separate cod into large flakes.
- 3. Melt 1/4 cup margarine in 3-quart saucepan. Remove from heat; blend in flour, salt, red-pepper sauce, and Worcestershire. Gradually stir in milk. Bring mixture to boiling over medium heat, stirring constantly. Reduce heat; simmer 5 minutes, stirring occasionally. Add flaked fish to sauce. Remove from heat: set aside.

- 4. Peel eggs; cut 2 in quarters lengthwise; set aside. Chop 2 eggs coarsely, and stir into fish mixture. Mash remaining 2 egg whites and yolks separately,
- 5. Toast bread and spread with remaining margarine: cut in half diagonally.
- 6. In deep, round serving dish, overlap toast halves, point side up, around edge. Heat fish mixture to boiling; pour into center of dish. Arrange egg quarters, petal fashion in center of dish. Sprinkle center of "flower" with mashed yolk. Sprinkle whites around edge. Garnish with parsley sprigs, if desired. MAKES 6 SERVINGS

#### TUNA LOAF

2 cans (61/2-oz size) chunk-style tuna

2 tablespoons butter or margarine

1/2 cup chopped onion 1/2 cup chopped celery

1/4 cup chopped green pepper

11/2 cups soft whitebread crumbs

1 pkg (.19 oz) chickenflavored instant broth 4 eggs 2/3 cup milk

2 tablespoons chopped parsley

1 teaspoon

Worcestershire sauce 1/2 teaspoon salt 2 tablespoons lemon

juice

4 green-pepper rings Parsley sprigs 6 lemon wedges

- 1. Preheat oven to 350F. Grease an 8½-by-4½-by-2½-inch loaf pan.
- 2. Drain tuna.
- 3. In hot butter in small skillet, sauté onion, celery and chopped green pepper until tender. Stir in bread crumbs and chicken-flavored instant broth. Remove from heat.
- 4. In medium bowl, slightly beat eggs. Stir in breadcrumb mixture, milk, chopped parsley, Worcestershire and salt. Fold in tuna and lemon juice until blended. Turn into prepared pan.
- 5. Bake 55 minutes, or until knife inserted in center comes out clean.
- 6. Let loaf stand about 3 minutes. Loosen around sides with spatula. Invert onto heated serving platter. Turn loaf right side up. Refrigerate, and serve cold. Garnish loaf with green-pepper rings and parsley sprigs. Serve with lemon wedges. MAKES 8 SERVINGS

#### TUNA, POTATO AND GREEN-BEAN SALAD

10 small red potatoes (about 21/4 lb) Salt

1 lb fresh green beans 1 medium-size red onion

1 cup Italian-style salad dressing

1 can (7 oz) solid-pack tuna

Boston lettuce, washed and chilled

- 1. Scrub potatoes. Cook in boiling salted water, covered, just until tender - about 20 minutes. Drain, and let cool slightly. Then cut the potatoes into quarters.
- 2. Wash beans; trim ends. Place in medium skillet in 1 cup boiling water with 1/2 teaspoon salt. Boil, uncovered, 3 minutes, or until tender-crisp. Drain; cool.
- 3. Peel onion, slice, and separate into rings.
- 4. In shallow baking dish, arrange potatoes, green beans and onion rings in alternate layers. Pour 3/4 cup salad dressing over all. Refrigerate, covered, 3 hours. (You may do this night before serving.)
- 5. Meanwhile, drain tuna; break into large chunks. Place in small bowl; toss with remaining dressing. Refrigerate, covered.
- 6. To serve: On shallow serving platter, arrange potato quarters, green beans and onion rings with tuna. Garnish with lettuce.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS



#### **BAKED TUNA-STUFFED POTATOES**

8 large baking potatoes 2 tablespoons margarine 2 cans (7 oz size) tuna, drained

- 1 tablespoon grated onion 1 tablespoon chopped
- parsley
- 1 can (103/4 oz) condensed Cheddarcheese soup. undiluted

1/4 teaspoon paprika 2 drops hot red-pepper

1/4 teaspoon salt

4 slices processed American cheese, halved

- 1. Preheat oven to 400F. Wash potatoes; rub skins all over with margarine. Prick with fork. Bake on rack of oven 11/2 hours, or until tender.
- 2. Meanwhile, in medium bowl, combine tuna,

onion, parsley, soup, paprika, pepper sauce, and salt. Toss with fork, to break up tuna.

- 3. Remove a 1-inch slice from top of each potato. Scoop out inside of potato from each slice and from the potato itself, leaving a shell. Add potato to tuna mixture, tossing to mix well.
- 4. Spoon lightly into potato shells, mounding high. Top each with ½ slice of cheese. Place in shallow baking pan. Bake 15 minutes, or until filling is hot and cheese is melted.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

#### **FLOUNDER A LA GYPSY**

1 pkg (1 lb) frozen flounder fillets. partially thawed

Salt 2 tablespoons butter or

margarine 1/2 cup chopped onion 1/2 teaspoon dried

tarragon leaves

2 cups sliced mushrooms (1/2 lb) 11/2 teaspoons paprika 1 cup sour cream

2/3 cup light cream 1 tablespoon all-purpose

2 tablespoons chopped

parsley

- 1. Preheat oven to 375F. Butter a 2-quart, shallow baking dish. Drain fillets. Sprinkle with ½ teaspoon
- 2. In hot butter in medium skillet, sauté onion, stirring, until golden.
- 3. Add tarragon and mushrooms; mix well. Cook, covered. 5 minutes.
- 4. In medium bowl, combine paprika, 1 teaspoon salt, the sour cream, light cream and flour; mix until smooth.
- 5. Add to mushroom mixture, stirring just until mixture starts to boil.
- 6. Turn half of the mushroom mixture into bottom of dish. Separate fillets; arrange on top. Spoon remaining mushroom mixture over fish. Sprinkle with parsley.
- 7. Bake, uncovered, 25 to 30 minutes, or just until fish flakes easily.

MAKES 4 SERVINGS





#### **RULES FOR COOKING PASTA**

- 1. Use 3 quarts water and 1 tablespoon salt for each 8-ounce package of pasta.
- 2. Use a large kettle; bring water to rapid boil before adding pasta; then add pasta gradually so that water does not stop boiling.
- 3. Cook, uncovered and stirring occasionally, 8 to 10 minutes, for "al dente" firmness. Taste a piece to test doneness.
- 4. If pasta is to be baked again in a casserole, cook it a minute or two less.
- 5. Drain in colander; serve at once. Do not rinse unless pasta is to be used in a cold salad.
- 6. To keep pasta hot until serving time or to reheat: For 1 pound cooked spaghetti, toss with 2 tablespoons oil. Heat spaghetti in colander over a large kettle with 1 inch of simmering water.

Once you've cooked the pasta, there are no rules. The many fascinating shapes are practically interchangeable in almost any dish.

#### BEEF BALLS PAPRIKASH Pictured

1/2 teaspoon salt
Dash pepper
1/2 cup packaged dry
bread crumbs
1 egg
2 tablespoons margarine
1 lb onions, peeled and
sliced (3 cups)

1 tablespoon paprika

1 lb ground chuck

1/2 teaspoon salt
1/8 teaspoon pepper
1 can (101/2 oz)
condensed beef broth,
undiluted
3 tablespoons allpurpose flour

1 cup sour cream

Poppy-Seed Noodles, right

- 1. Make beef balls: In large bowl, lightly toss ground chuck with ½ teaspoon salt, dash pepper, the bread crumbs and egg until well combined.
- 2. Using hands, gently shape chuck mixture into 10 balls, each about 2 inches in diameter.
- 3. In hot margarine in large skillet, brown beef balls well all over. Reduce heat; cook gently about 10 minutes. Remove beef balls.
- 4. Add onion to drippings; sauté until tender and golden-brown about 10 minutes.
- 5. Add paprika, salt and pepper, stirring until well blended with meat. Stir in <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> cup beef broth. Bring to boiling.
- 6. Add meatballs; then reduce heat, and simmer, covered, 30 minutes.
- 7. In small bowl, combine flour and remaining beef

broth, stirring until smooth. Gradually add to beef mixture, stirring constantly, 5 minutes longer.

8. Just before serving, place sour cream in small bowl. Slowly add ½ cup hot gravy. Slowly add to beef mixture, stirring until well blended. Heat, but do not boil. Serve with Poppy-Seed Noodles. MAKES 5 SERVINGS

#### POPPY-SEED NOODLES

1 tablespoon salt 3 quarts boiling water 1/4 cup margarine, melted 1 tablespoon poppy seed

1 pkg (7 or 8 oz) wide noodles (3 cups)

- 1. In large kettle, bring salted water to a rapid boil. Add noodles.
- 2. Bring back to boiling. Cook, uncovered, stirring occasionally with long fork to prevent sticking, just until tender 7 to 10 minutes. Do not overcook.
- 3. Drain in colander or sieve. Do not rinse. Toss noodles with melted margarine and poppy seed. MAKES 5 SERVINGS

#### ZUCCHINI-TUNA-AND-MACARONI CASSEROLE Pictured

1 pkg (1 lb) spiral or elbow macaroni

Sauce

Margarine
1/2 lb zucchini, washed
and thinly sliced (11/2
cups)

1 cup sliced celery, on the diagonal

1/2 cup chopped onion 1/4 cup all-purpose flour 1 teaspoon salt 1 teaspoon dried dillweed 2 cups milk Grated Parmesan cheese

- 1 can (61/2 oz) tuna, drained
- 1 cup grated fresh bread crumbs (2 slices)
- 1. Cook macaroni as package label directs; drain. Preheat oven to 350F.
- 2. Meanwhile, **make Sauce:** In 3 tablespoons margarine in 3-quart saucepan, sauté zucchini, celery and onion, stirring, about 5 minutes. Remove from heat.
- 3. Add flour, salt and dill; stir until smooth. Add milk, a small amount at a time, stirring after each addition. Return to heat.
- 4. Over medium heat, bring to boiling, stirring con-



Beef Balls Paprikash, top; Zucchini-Tuna-and-Macaroni Casserole, below.

stantly. Reduce heat; simmer 3 minutes. Add  $^{1}\!\!/_{4}$  cup grated Parmesan cheese; mix well.

5. In large bowl, combine cooked macaroni and the tuna with sauce; toss gently. Turn into 2-quart shallow baking dish. In small bowl, combine crumbs, 2

tablespoons Parmesan and 2 tablespoons melted margarine; toss gently.

6. Sprinkle over casserole. Bake 30 to 35 minutes, or until hot and and bubbly.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

#### **SAUSAGE CONTINENTAL**

6 sweet Italian sausages

1 pkg (8 oz) wide noodles 1 large unpared red apple, cut into 8 wedges

2 jars (1-lb size) red cabbage, undrained

1 tablespoon caraway

1/4 cup butter or margarine

- 1. In 5-quart Dutch oven, over medium heat, cook sausage with 2 tablespoons water, covered, about 15 minutes.
- 2. Remove cover: turn sausage; continue cooking 10 minutes longer, or until well browned. Remove.
- 3. Meanwhile, cook noodles as package label directs.
- 4. In remaining fat in Dutch oven, sauté apple wedges 5 minutes.
- 5. Add cabbage and sausage; simmer, uncovered, until cabbage is hot and apples are tender but not mushy.
- 6. Drain noodles; toss with caraway seed and butter.
- 7. Turn cabbage into center of warm serving platter. Arrange apples and sausage on top and noodles around edge.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS



#### **BAKED STUFFED TUFOLI**

4 cups Tomato Sauce, right 1/2 pkg (1-lb size) tufoli (20) or manicotti

Filling

1/4 cup salad or olive oil 1 cup chopped onion 1 clove garlic, crushed 1 lb ground chuck 1/2 lb ground veal 1 pkg (10 oz) frozen chopped spinach, thawed, drained and finely chopped

- 2 tablespoons chopped parsley
- 1 teaspoon dried oregano leaves
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 1 pkg (8 oz) mozzarella cheese, cut in 1/2-inch cubes
- 1 pkg (8 oz) mozzarella cheese, thinly sliced crosswise
- 1/2 cup grated Parmesan cheese
- 1. Make Tomato Sauce.
- 2. In large kettle, add 2 tablespoons salt to 6 quarts boiling water. Add tufoli; return to boiling. Boil 10 to 15 minutes, or until almost tender. Drain; lay flat on trav to cool.
- 3. Meanwhile, make Filling: In hot oil in large skillet, sauté onion and garlic until tender - about 5

- minutes. Add beef and veal; brown lightly, stirring, about 15 minutes.
- 4. Remove from heat. Add spinach, parsley, oregano, salt, pepper and cubed mozzarella. Mix well.
- 5. Preheat oven to 375F. With small spoon, spoon meat mixture into tufoli from each end.
- 6. Pour 1 cup tomato sauce in bottom of 13-by-9by-2-inch baking dish or shallow, oval baking dish.
- 7. Arrange tufoli in tomato sauce. Pour rest of tomato sauce over top. Cover with foil. Bake 25 minutes.
- 8. Remove from oven; remove foil. Place slice of mozzarella on each tufoli. Sprinkle with Parmesan cheese. Bake 10 minutes, or until cheese is melted. MAKES 8 TO 10 SERVINGS

#### **TOMATO SAUCE**

1 can (2 lb, 3 oz) Italian tomatoes

1/4 cup olive or salad oil 1 cup finely chopped

onion

1 clove garlic, crushed 1 can (6 oz) tomato paste

2 sprigs parsley

1 tablespoon salt 2 teaspoons sugar

1 teaspoon dried oregano leaves

1/2 teaspoon dried basil leaves

1/4 teaspoon pepper

- 1. Purée undrained Italian tomatoes in electric blender, or press through sieve with juice.
- 2. In hot oil in large saucepan, sauté onion and garlic until golden-brown - about 5 minutes.
- 3. Add puréed tomato, tomato paste, 1½ cups water, the parsley, salt, sugar, oregano, basil and pepper; mix well.
- 4. Bring to boiling; reduce heat and simmer, covered and stirring occasionally, 1 hour. Cook, uncovered and stirring occasionally, ½ hour longer. MAKES 41/2 CUPS

Note: Freeze any unused Tomato Sauce for another time.

#### HAMBURGER AND NOODLES STROGANOFF

1/2 pkg (8-oz size) noodles 1/4 cup butter or

margarine

1/2 cup finely chopped onion

1 clove garlic, finely chopped

1/2 lb mushrooms, thickly sliced; or 1 can (6 oz) sliced mushrooms, drained

1 lb ground chuck

- 1 tablespoon all-purpose flour
- 1 can (8 oz) tomato sauce 1/2 cup Burgundy wine
- 1 can (101/2 oz) condensed beef broth. undiluted
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper 1 cup sour cream
- 1/2 cup grated Parmesan
- cheese
- 1. Preheat oven to 375F.
- 2. Cook noodles as package label directs. Drain.

- 3. Meanwhile, in hot butter in large skillet, sauté onion, garlic and mushrooms until onion is goldenabout 5 minutes.
- 4. Add beef: cook, stirring, until beef is browned.
- 5. Remove from heat. Stir in flour, tomato sauce, Burgundy, broth, salt, and pepper.
- 6. Simmer 10 minutes, stirring occasionally. Blend in sour cream.
- 7. In lightly greased 2-quart casserole, layer a third of the noodles, then a third of the meat mixture. Repeat twice. Sprinkle with cheese.
- 8. Bake, uncovered, 25 minutes.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

#### **GREEK PASTITSIO**

1 pkg (8 oz) elbow macaroni 2 teaspoons salt Boiling water 2 tablespoons butter or margarine 2 medium onions, chopped 1 ib ground chuck 2 cans (8-oz size) tomato sauce

2 cloves garlic, minced 2 teaspoons ground cinnamon 3 tablespoons butter or margarine 3 tablespoons allpurpose flour 21/4 cups milk 3 eggs

size) tomato Dash salt, pepper and nutmeg

1 teaspoon salt

- 1. Cook elbow macaroni and 2 teaspoons salt in boiling water, as package directs, until tender but still slightly firm to the teeth. Drain.
- 2. Heat 2 tablespoons butter in 10-inch skillet; add chopped onion; sauté slowly until it begins to turn golden-brown. Add meat (break up clumps), sautéing until it has lost its red color. Add tomato sauce, 1 teaspoon salt, the garlic and 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon. Simmer 20 minutes.
- 3. Grease an 11-inch-square baking dish; turn half of the macaroni into it. Top with the meat sauce, spreading it evenly over macaroni. Add final layer of remaining macaroni.
- 4. Preheat oven to 350F. In medium saucepan, melt remaining 3 tablespoons butter, and stir in flour. Remove from heat; slowly stir in milk. Beat until smooth with a wire whisk, and smooth. Remove from heat and cool slightly.
- 5. In medium bowl, beat eggs slightly; slowly add half of hot cream sauce, beating constantly. Return mixture to remaining sauce in pan, and beat smooth. Season with salt, pepper and nutmeg.
- 6. Sprinkle top of macaroni with remaining cinnamon, and pour sauce over all. Tap pan hard on counter top, so that sauce goes to bottom. Bake 40 minutes, or until the custard is firm. Let stand at room temperature for 10 minutes before serving.

  MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS

#### FAMILY-FAVORITE MACARONI AND CHEESE

1 pkg (8 oz) elbow 1 teaspoon salt macaroni 1/4 teaspoon pepper 2 cups milk 8 oz Cheddar cheese 1/4 cup all-purpose flour grated (2 cups)

- 1. Preheat oven to 375F. Cook macaroni as label directs; drain.
- 2. Meanwhile, melt butter in a medium saucepan; remove from heat. Stir in the flour, salt and pepper until smooth. Gradually stir in milk. Bring to boiling, stirring. Reduce heat and simmer 1 minute. Remove from heat.
- 3. Stir in  $1\frac{1}{2}$  cups cheese and the macaroni. Pour into a  $1\frac{1}{2}$ -quart casserole, and sprinkle remaining cheese over top.
- 4. Bake 15 to 20 minutes, or until cheese is golden-brown.

MAKES 4 TO 6 SERVINGS

#### SPAGHETTI WITH TOMATO SAUCE

**Tomato Sauce** 1/4 teaspoon pepper 1/4 cup olive or salad oil 1/2 teaspoon dried 1/4 cup finely chopped oregano leaves onion 1/2 teaspoon dried basil 1/4 cup finely chopped leaves green pepper 2 teaspoons sugar 2 cloves garlic, finely chopped 1 pkg (8 oz) spaghetti 1 can (1 lb, 12 oz) whole 3 quarts boiling water 1 tablespoon salt tomatoes, undrained 1 can (8 oz) tomato sauce Grated Parmesan 1 teaspoon salt cheese

- 1. **Make Tomato Sauce.** In hot oil in medium saucepan, sauté the onion, green pepper, and garlic until golden and tender, about 10 minutes, stirring occasionally.
- 2. Add tomatoes, tomato sauce, salt, pepper, oregano, basil, and sugar; stir, with wooden spoon, to break up tomatoes slightly.
- 3. Over medium heat, bring mixture just to boiling. Reduce heat; simmer, covered, 40 minutes, stirring occasionally.
- 4. Remove cover; simmer sauce, uncovered, for 20 minutes, or until slightly thickened.
- 5. Meanwhile, cook spaghetti in 3 quarts boiling water with 1 tablespoon salt, uncovered, until just tender 8 to 10 minutes. Turn spaghetti into colander; drain well.
- 6. Serve spaghetti at once, with sauce poured over. Sprinkle with Parmesan cheese.

MAKES 4 TO 6 SERVINGS



#### TUNA-AND-WHITE-BEAN SALAD

2 cans (1 lb, 3-oz size)
white kidney beans
1/4 cup red-wine vinegar
1/4 cup chopped parsley
3 green onions, chopped
1/4 cup salad oil
1 teaspoon salt
Dash pepper

1 can (61/2 oz) chunk-style tuna, drained and broken into large pieces 3 hard-cooked eggs, quartered

Crisp lettuce Chopped parsley

1. Drain kidney beans; turn into medium bowl.

2. Add vinegar, parsley, onion, oil, salt and pepper; stir gently to mix well.

3. Refrigerate, covered, to chill well – at least 2 hours.

4. To serve, toss gently with tuna and one of the eggs. Line salad bowl with lettuce. Turn salad into bowl. Sprinkle with chopped parsley. Garnish with remaining quartered eggs.

Makes 6 Servings

#### WHITE BEANS WITH PASTA

1 pkg (1 lb) dried white Great Northern beans Water Salt 1 cup shell macaroni 1/4 cup olive or salad oil 2 cloves garlic 1/2 cup chopped onion 2 tablespoons chopped fresh parsley

1 can (8 oz) tomato sauce
3/4 teaspoon dried savory
leaves
1/2 teaspoon dried thyme
leaves
1/4 teaspoon pepper
4 American-cheese
slices, halved
diagonally
Chopped parsley

1. Cover beans with cold water; refrigerate, covered, overnight.

2. Next day, drain beans, reserving liquid; turn beans and 6 cups liquid into a 3-quart Dutch oven; add 2 teaspoons salt. Bring to boiling; reduce heat and simmer, covered,  $1^{1/2}$  hours, or until tender. If necessary, add 1 cup water during cooking; drain, reserving liquid.

3. A half hour before beans are done: In medium saucepan, bring 3 cups water and 1 teaspoon salt to boiling. Add macaroni; cook until tender — about 15 minutes: drain.

4. In hot oil in medium skillet, sauté garlic, onion and parsley 1 minute. Add tomato sauce, savory, thyme, 2 teaspoons salt, the pepper and 1 cup reserved bean liquid. Cook, uncovered, over medium heat until onion is done – about 5 minutes.

5. To serve, turn beans and macaroni into a 2-quart shallow casserole; stir in tomato mixture; add ½ cup reserved bean liquid, if necessary. Arrange cheese slices over top of beans in a circle. Run under broiler a few minutes to melt cheese. Sprinkle top with chopped parsley.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

## WHITE BEANS, COUNTRY STYLE Pictured (page 51)

1 pkg (1 lb) dried white navy beans Water

4 teaspoons salt

2 cloves garlic, pressed

2 bay leaves

6 tablespoons butter or margarine

2 onions, finely chopped (about 2 cups)

1 green pepper, finely chopped (about 1 cup) 1 can (1 lb) tomatoes,

undrained 1 teaspoon dried

oregano leaves
1/4 cup finely chopped
parsley

1. Cover beans with cold water; refrigerate, covered, overnight.

2. Next day, drain beans; turn into a 4 or 5-quart Dutch oven; cover with 5 cups cold water. Add the salt, pepper, garlic and bay leaves. Bring to boiling; reduce heat; simmer, covered, 1 hour, or until beans are tender. Stir several times during cooking. Drain. Discard bay leaves. Turn beans back into Dutch oven. Preheat oven to 350F.

3. Meanwhile, in 4 tablespoons hot butter, sauté chopped onion until golden – about 5 minutes. Add green pepper, tomatoes, oregano and parsley; cook 5 more minutes.

4. Stir vegetable mixture and remaining 2 table-spoons butter into drained beans. Bake, covered, 1 hour and 15 minutes; bake, uncovered, 15 minutes longer. If desired, garnish top with tomato wedges and bay leaf.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

#### BAKED BEANS WITH KIELBASA

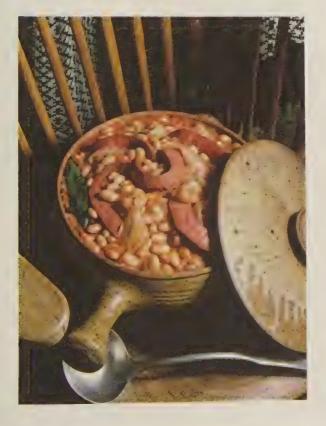
1 lb kielbasa 8 whole cloves 2 cans (1-lb size) pork and beans in tomato sauce 1 can (8 oz) pineapple chunks, drained 1/4 cup finely chopped onion 2 teaspoons dry mustard 1/4 cup light-brown sugar, packed

- 1. Make slashes in kielbasa, on the diagonal, 1 inch apart.
- 2. In skillet, cover kielbasa with water; bring to boiling. Simmer, covered, 30 minutes; drain well. Insert whole cloves in kielbasa.
- 3. Preheat oven to 350F.
- 4. In large bowl, combine pork and beans, pineapple chunks, onion and dry mustard; mix well.
- 5. Turn into a shallow 2-quart or 8-inch square baking dish. Place kielbasa on top. Sprinkle all over with brown sugar.
- 6. Bake, uncovered, 30 minutes, or until beans are bubbling.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

## CASSOULET WITH KNOCKWURST Pictured

- 1 pkg (1 lb) dried white Great Northern beans 2 quarts water
- 1 clove garlic, crushed
- 1 clove garile, crushe 1 cup sliced onion
- 1 tablespoon salt
- 4 whole cloves
- 1 can (8 oz) tomato sauce
- 1/2 teaspoon dried thyme leaves
- 2 bay leaves
- 1 pkg (16 oz) knockwurst, cut lengthwise into quarters to make long strips
- 1. In a 4-quart kettle, bring 2 quarts water to boiling. Add beans; return to boiling; boil 2 minutes. Remove from heat, and let stand 1 hour.



- 2. Add garlic, onion, salt and cloves; bring to boiling. Reduce heat and simmer, covered, 1 hour, or until tender, not mushy. Remove and discard cloves.
- 3. Stir in tomato sauce, thyme, bay leaves and knockwurst. Cover and simmer 45 minutes longer, or until beans are tender. Discard bay leaves.
- 4. Turn into warm serving dish.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

#### BAKED BEANS, NEW YORK STYLE

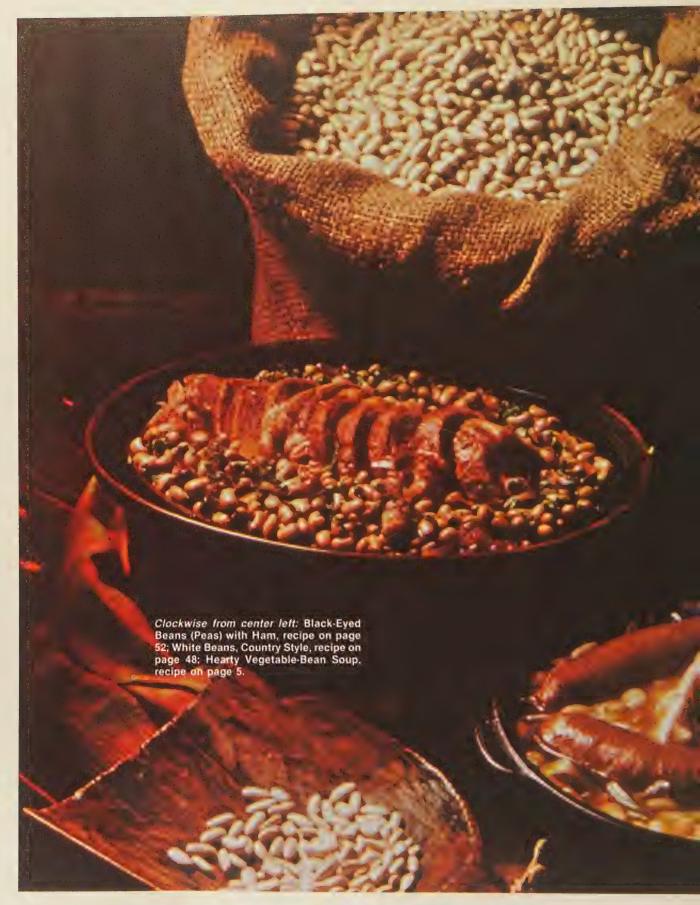
- 1 pkg (1 lb) dried white Great Northern beans 1/4 lb salt pork, diced 1 large onion, chopped
- 1 large onion, chopped 3/4 cup light-brown sugar, packed 1/2 cup catsup
- 1 teaspoon dry mustard 2 teaspoons salt 1 tablespoon
- Worcestershire sauce 1 cup boiling water 1/4 lb salt pork, cut in
- strips
- 1. Cover beans with cold water; refrigerate, covered, overnight.
- 2. Next day, drain beans. Cover with cold water; bring to boiling; reduce heat and simmer gently just until skins start to burst. Drain.
- 3. Preheat oven to 275F.
- 4. Turn beans into a 3-quart casserole; add diced salt pork, onion, sugar, catsup, mustard, salt, Worcestershire and boiling water; mix well. Arrange strips of salt pork over top.
- 5. Bake, covered, 6 hours; uncover during last hour, adding more water if beans become dry.

  MAKES 8 SERVINGS

#### **CHILLICON CARNE**

- 1 lb ground chuck (in chunks) 2 medium onions, chopped
- chopped 1½ to 2 tablespoons chili powder
- 2 cans (1-lb size) dark red kidney beans
- 1 can (1 lb, 12 oz) whole tomatoes, undrained 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/8 teaspoon pepper 1/4 teaspoon garlic
- powder 1/2 teaspoon sugar 1/4 cup catsup
- 1. In large heavy skillet, over medium heat, sauté ground chuck, stirring, until red color disappears. Pour off fat.
- 2. Add chopped onion and chili powder; cook, stirring, about 5 minutes, or until onion is tender.
- 3. Drain one can beans; use one can undrained. Add with rest of ingredients to meat, breaking up tomato with fork; stir to mix well. Simmer slowly, covered and stirring occasionally, until thickened and flavors are blended. Serve with rice, if desired. MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS

*Note:* This dish is even better when made the day before, refrigerated, then reheated for serving.





#### BLACK-EYED BEANS (PEAS) WITH HAM Pictured (page 50)

1 pkg (1 lb) black-eyed beans (peas)

1-to-11/2-lb smoked pork butt 5 cups water Salt

2 bay leaves 1 medium onion, studded with 4 whole cloves 2 tablespoons butter or

margarine

2 tablespoons salad oil 1 cup chopped onion 1/2 cup chopped celery 1 teaspoon dried thyme leaves

1/8 teaspoon pepper Light-brown sugar 1 can (1 lb) whole tomatoes, undrained 1/2 cup dry red wine Chopped parsley

1. Cover beans with cold water; refrigerate, covered, overnight.

2. Next day, place pork butt in 8-quart kettle; cover with 5 cups water, 1 tablespoon salt, bay leaves and whole onion studded with cloves. Bring to boiling; reduce heat and simmer, covered, 1 hour.

3. Drain beans; add to kettle with pork. Bring to boiling; reduce heat and simmer, covered, 1 hour, or until beans are tender.

4. Meanwhile, in hot butter and oil, sauté onion, celery and thyme, stirring, 5 minutes. Add 1 teaspoon salt, the pepper and  $\frac{1}{4}$  cup brown sugar. Bring to boiling; reduce heat and simmer, uncovered and stirring occasionally, 20 minutes.

5. Preheat oven to 350F. Drain beans, reserving liquid. Slice pork butt.

6. In 3-quart casserole, combine beans and tomatoes; stir in onion-celery mixture and red wine; mix well. Arrange pork slices across top. Bake, covered, ½ hour, adding a little bean liquid if necessary. Sprinkle top with 2 tablespoons brown sugar; bake, uncovered, 30 minutes longer. Sprinkle with parssley.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

#### **BOSTON BAKED BEANS**

1 pkg (1 lb) dried pea beans 2 tablespoons prepared mustard 2 tablespoons brown 1 envelope (1³/4 oz) dried onion-soup mix 2 tablespoons brown sugar sugar 1/4 lb salt pork

onion-soup mix 1/4 lb salt pork
1/3 cup light molasses Boiling water

1. Wash beans; turn into medium bowl, and cover with cold water. Refrigerate, covered, overnight.

2. Drain beans. In saucepan, combine the beans with 6 cups water; bring to boil. Reduce heat; simmer, covered, 40 minutes, until tender. Preheat oven to 300F.

3. Drain beans, reserving  $1\frac{1}{2}$  cups liquid from beans. Turn beans into 2-quart casserole or bean pot.

4. Mix onion soup mix, molasses, mustard, brown sugar, and bean liquid. Toss with beans.

5. Make cuts in salt pork every ½ inch. Place in center of beans.

6. Bake, covered, 5 hours; stir every hour. If beans dry out, add boiling water.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

#### MICHIGAN BAKED BEANS

1 lb mixed dried navy, pinto and kidney beans; or 1 lb dried navy beans 1/4 cup cider vinegar 1/4 cup cider vinegar 1 teaspoon dry mustard 4 slices bacon 1/2 teaspoon pepper 1/4 teaspoon pepper

1. Day ahead: Wash beans, discarding imperfect ones. Cover beans with 2 quarts cold water; refrigerate, covered, overnight.

2. Next day, turn beans and water into 5-quart kettle. Bring to boiling; reduce heat, and simmer, covered, 1 hour, or until beans are tender.

3. Meanwhile, sauté bacon until just crisp; remove and set aside. In bacon drippings, sauté onion and garlic until onion is transparent; remove from heat. Stir in catsup, brown sugar, vinegar, mustard, salt and pepper; mix well.

4. Drain beans, reserving liquid. Turn beans into a 2-quart baking dish. Preheat oven to 350F. Heat reserved bean liquid to boiling. Add 1 cup bean liquid to catsup mixture; pour over beans. Add enough bean liquid just to cover beans.

5. Bake, covered, 30 minutes. Remove from oven; place bacon on top of beans; bake 45 minutes longer.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

## BAKED LIMA BEANS AND FRANKFURTERS

1 pkg (1 lb) dried large lima beans packed
5 cups water 1 tablespoon Worcester-shire sauce 1 teaspoon salt

Sauce 1/2 cup light-brown sugar, packed 1 tablespoon Worcester-shire sauce 1 teaspoon salt

2 tablespoons salad oil

1 cup chopped onion 6 to 8 frankfurters
1 cup tomato catsup Salad oil

1. Cover beans with 5 cups cold water. Refrigerate, covered, overnight.

2. Next day, turn beans and liquid (do not drain) into a 5-quart kettle or Dutch oven; add 1 teaspoon salt. Bring to boiling; reduce heat and simmer gently,

covered, stirring occasionally, 1 hour, or until beans are tender and liquid is almost absorbed.

- 3. Meanwhile, make Sauce: In 2 tablespoons hot salad oil in large saucepan, sauté onion until tender – about 5 minutes. Add catsup, brown sugar, Worcestershire, salt, dry mustard and 1 cup water.
- 4. Bring to boiling, stirring; simmer, uncovered, 5 minutes.
- 5. Preheat oven to 350F.
- 6. Drain beans; reserve ½ cup liquid.
- 7. In kettle, combine beans, 1/4 cup liquid and sauce; mix well
- 8. Turn bean mixture into 2-quart casserole or baking dish. Bake, covered, 1 hour.
- 9. Meanwhile, broil frankfurters: Rub frankfurters with salad oil; slash on diagonal in several places. Arrange on broiler rack; broil, 3 inches from heat. until evenly browned.
- 10. Remove cover from lima beans. Arrange frankfurters on top. Bake, uncovered, 10 minutes. MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS

#### HONEY-BAKED BEANS

1 pkg (1 lb) dried lima 1 teaspoon ground beans ginger Water 3/4 cup honey 1 teaspoon salt 1 medium onion, peeled 1/4 lb sliced bacon, diced and stuck with 3 whole 1 teaspoon salt cloves 11/2 teaspoons dry 1 cup sliced onion mustard

- 1. Wash beans; drain. In large saucepan, soak beans in water to cover overnight.
- 2. Next day, over medium heat, cook beans in same water, uncovered, until tender and skins burst. Drain, reserving liquid.
- 3. In 2½-quart casserole, place half of bacon, the beans and remaining ingredients, combined with 1/2 cup bean liquid. Cover with rest of bacon.
- 4. Bake, covered, 1½ hours or until tender. During last half hour, remove cover to brown. (Add more bean liquid during cooking if necessary.) MAKES 8 SERVINGS

#### **MEXICAN RICE**

2 tablespoons salad oil 1 cup chopped onion 1/2 cup cubed green pepper

1/2 lb ground beef 1 tablespoon paprika

1 teaspoon salt

1 teaspoon dried basil leaves

1 can (1 lb, 14 oz) tomatoes, undrained 3 cups fluffy cooked rice 1 can (1 lb) red kidney beans, drained 1/4 lb Cheddar cheese, cut lengthwise into 4 strips

1/8 teaspoon pepper

- 1. In hot oil in medium skillet, sauté onion, green pepper and ground beef (break up meat with fork into small pieces) until meat is no longer red - about 10 minutes.
- 2. Stir in paprika, salt, basil and pepper; mix well.
- 3. Add tomatoes; bring to boiling. Simmer uncovered and stirring occasionally, 30 minutes.
- 4. Preheat oven to 375F.
- 5. Add rice and kidney beans to skillet mixture; mix well. Turn into a 2-quart casserole or baking dish. Arrange cheese strips over top.
- 6. Bake, covered with foil, 20 minutes. Remove foil; bake until cheese is melted.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

#### **TAMALE PIE**

2 cans (1-lb size) dark-red

kidney beans

4 cups water 1 teaspoon salt 1 cup yellow cornmeal 1/2 cup grated Cheddar cheese

1 can (1 lb, 12 oz) whole tomatoes, undrained 1 teaspoon salt 1/8 teaspoon pepper Chili Con Carne 1/4 teaspoon garlic 1 lb ground chuck (in powder chunks) 1/2 teaspoon sugar

11/2 cups sliced onion 11/2 to 2 tablespoons chili powder

1. Day before, cook cornmeal: In a heavy, 4-quart saucepan, bring 4 cups water and 1 teaspoon salt to a full, rolling boil. Slowly add cornmeal, stirring constantly with a wire whisk - mixture will get very

1/4 cup catsup

2. Turn heat low; cook, uncovered and stirring frequently, 20 minutes. Add 1/4 cup cheese. Turn into buttered 13-by-9-by-2-inch baking dish; let stand 20 minutes. Refrigerate, covered, overnight.

3. Next day, make Chili Con Carne: In large heavy skillet, over medium heat, sauté ground chuck, stirring, until red color disappears.

4. Add onion and chili powder; cook, stirring, about 5 minutes, or until onion is tender.

- 5. Drain one can beans; use one can undrained. Add with rest of ingredients to meat, breaking up tomatoes with fork; stir to mix well. Simmer slowly, covered and stirring occasionally, until thickened and flavors are blended - 30 minutes.
- 6. Preheat oven to 375F.
- 7. Cut cornmeal mixture into 24 squares. Pour meat mixture into shallow 3-quart casserole. Arrange 12 cornmeal squares, overlapping, around edge; top with second layer. Sprinkle with remaining cheese. Bake, uncovered, 25 to 30 minutes, or until cheese is melted.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

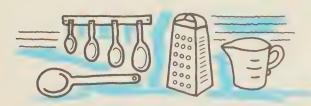
## STUFFED YELLOW SQUASH WITH CHEESE SAUCE

3 yellow squash (2 lb) Salt 1 tablespoon salad oil 1 clove garlic, crushed 1/2 lb ground beef 1/2 cup raw long-grain

white rice

1/s teaspoon pepper 1 can (16 oz) stewed tomatoes 1/2 cup water Cheese Sauce, below

- 1. Wash squash; cut off and discard stem; cut squash in half lengthwise. Scoop out and discard seeds.
- 2. In medium skillet with tight fitting cover, bring 2 cups water and 1 teaspoon salt to boiling.
- 3. Add squash, cut side down; cook, covered, over medium heat 5 minutes, or until tender, not mushy. Drain well.
- 4. In hot oil in medium skillet, over medium heat, sauté garlic and beef, stirring until beef is no longer pink about 10 minutes.
- 5. Add rice, 1 teaspoon salt and the pepper; mix well; cook, stirring, 2 minutes. Preheat oven to 375F.
- 6. Stir in stewed tomatoes and 1/2 cup water; cook, tightly covered, over low heat 20 minutes, or until rice is cooked and liquid absorbed. Meanwhile, make Cheese Sauce.
- 7. Fill squash halves with rice mixture, dividing evenly.
- 8. Arrange in bottom of 13-by-9-inch baking pan. Pour a little cheese over each. Cover tightly with foil. Bake 15 minutes, or until heated through.
- 9. Serve with remaining sauce. MAKES 6 SERVINGS



#### **CHEESE SAUCE**

2 tablespoons butter or margarine 2 tablespoons allpurpose flour 1/2 teaspoon dry mustard 1/4 teaspoon salt

Dash pepper Dash ground red pepper 1 cup milk 1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese

- 1. In small saucepan, slowly melt butter (do not brown); remove from heat; stir in flour, mustard, salt, pepper, red pepper and milk until smooth.
- 2. Bring to boiling, stirring until thickened. Reduce heat; add cheese; cook, stirring, until cheese is melted and mixture is smooth.

  MAKES 11/4 CUPS

#### CALIFORNIA CHEESE-AND-RICE CASSEROLE

margarine
1 cup chopped onion
4 cups freshly cooked
white rice
2 cups sour cream
1 cup cream-style
cottage cheese
1/2 teaspoon dried

oregano leaves

1/4 cup butter or

1/2 teaspoon salt
1/8 teaspoon pepper
3 cans (4-oz size) green
chilies, drained, halved
lengthwise, leaving
seeds
2 cups grated sharp
natural Cheddar
cheese
Chopped parsley

- 1. Preheat oven to 375F. Lightly grease a 12-by-8-by-2-inch (2-quart) baking dish.
- 2. In hot butter in large skillet, sauté onion until golden about 5 minutes.
- 3. Remove from heat; stir in hot rice, sour cream, cottage cheese, oregano, salt and pepper; toss lightly to mix well.
- 4. Layer half the rice mixture in bottom of baking dish, then half of chilies; sprinkle with half of cheese. Repeat.
- 5. Bake, uncovered, 25 minutes, or until bubbly and hot. Sprinkle with chopped parsley.

  MAKES 8 SERVINGS



#### **RICE PILAF**

4 cans (10³/4-oz size) condensed chicken broth, undiluted

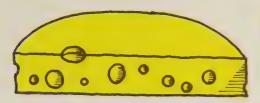
11/2 cups butter or margarine

4 cups raw long-grain white rice

1 cup coarsely chopped onion
3 teaspoons salt

1/2 cup butter or margarine Chopped parsley

- 1. In large saucepan, add water to broth to make 9 cups. Bring to boiling.
- 2. In  $1\frac{1}{2}$  cups hot butter in 6-quart Dutch oven, sauté rice until golden. Stir in the chopped onion and salt.
- 3. Stir boiling chicken broth into rice mixture.
- 4. Cook rice, covered and over low heat, 35 to 40 minutes, or until all liquid is absorbed and rice is tender. Let cool completely.
- 5. Turn into several freezer containers; seal; label; freeze.
- 6. To serve: Place freezer containers in hot water in saucepan. Heat over medium heat about 30 minutes, or until rice is thawed completely and heated through.
- 7. Fluff up with a fork; toss with 1/2 cup butter. Turn into serving dish; sprinkle with chopped parsley. MAKES 10 TO 12 SERVINGS



# Cheese and Eggs

#### QUICHE MONACO Pictured (page 57)

1/4 lb sliced bacon, quartered10-inch unbaked pieshell1 cup grated natural Swiss cheese

4 eggs 1½ cups light cream ½ teaspoon salt 1/s teaspoon ground nutmeg

1/a teaspoon pepper 1/2 teaspoon dried oregano leaves **Pizza Topping** 

3 medium-size white onions, sliced 1 can (8 oz) whole

tomatoes, undrained

1/4 teaspoon sugar
1/2 teaspoon dried thyme
leaves

1/4 lb mozzarella cheese 12 pitted black olives

1. Preheat oven to 375F.

2. Sauté bacon until crisp. Drain on paper towels; reserve 2 tablespoons bacon fat.

3. In bottom of pieshell, sprinkle 2/3 of bacon with grated cheese.

4. In medium bowl, beat eggs with cream, salt, nutmeg, pepper and oregano until smooth. Pour into pieshell. Bake 30 minutes, or until golden and sharp knife inserted near center comes out clean.

5. Meanwhile, **make Pizza Topping:** In reserved hot bacon fat in medium skillet, sauté onion until tender – several minutes. Add tomatoes, sugar and thyme; simmer, stirring, 15 minutes, or until mixture is slightly thickened. Slice the mozzarella into  $3^{1/2}$ -by- $^{1/2}$ -inch slices.

6. Garnish top of quiche with mozzarella strips, spoke fashion, alternating with tomato mixture. Sprinkle with rest of bacon. Spoon remaining tomato mixture in center; decorate with olives.

7. Bake 5 minutes longer to melt cheese slightly. Serve warm.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

#### CHEESE-PUFF SURPRISE

6 eggs
Butter or margarine
1 large tomato (8 oz),
thinly sliced
Grated Parmesan

Cheese 2 pkg (10-oz size) frozen chopped spinach

1/4 cup finely chopped onion

Salt

1/s teaspoon pepper
6 tablespoons unsifted
all-purpose flour
Dash ground red pepper

11/4 cups milk 1/2 cup coarsely grated natural Swiss cheese

1/4 teaspoon cream of tartar

1. Separate eggs, placing whites in large bowl, yolks in another large bowl. Set aside until whites warm to room temperature — about 1 hour.

2. Meanwhile, lightly butter a 10-inch round shallow baking dish,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches deep or an 11- or 12-inch pie plate, or a 9-by-9-inch baking dish.

3. Preheat oven to 350F. Arrange tomato slices in a single layer in bottom of prepared dish. Sprinkle lightly with 1 tablespoon Parmesan cheese.

4. Cook spinach as package label directs; drain well on paper towels.

5. In medium skillet, sauté onion in 2 tablespoons hot butter until golden. Add spinach, ½ teaspoon salt and the pepper. Sauté, stirring, 5 minutes longer.

6. Make cheese puff: Melt 5 tablespoons butter in medium saucepan; remove from heat. Stir in flour, 1 teaspoon salt and red pepper until smooth. Gradually stir in the milk.

7. Bring to boiling, stirring. Reduce heat and simmer, stirring constantly, until mixture becomes very thick and begins to leave bottom and side of pan.

8. With wire whisk or wooden spoon, beat egg yolks. Gradually beat in cooked mixture. Add 1/2 cup Parmesan cheese and the Swiss cheese; beat until well combined.

9. Add 1/2 teaspoon salt and the cream of tartar to egg whites. With portable electric mixer at high speed, beat until stiff peaks form when beater is slowly raised.

10. With wire whisk or rubber scraper, fold one third of beaten egg whites into warm cheese mixture until well combined. Carefully fold in remaining egg whites just until combined.

11. Spoon one third of the cheese mixture over the tomato. Spoon spinach mixture evenly on top. Add remaining cheese mixture.

12. Bake 40 minutes, or until puffed and goldenbrown. Serve at once, cut into wedges.





Clockwise from left:
Alpine Hero Sandwich,
recipe on page 61.
Cheddar-Cheese-andVegetable Chowder,
recipe on page 58;
Quiche Monaco, recipe
on page 55.



#### WELSH RABBIT EN CROUTE

Vol Au Vent

1 egg yolk

11/2 pkg (171/4-oz size) frozen puff pastry

Welsh Rabbit, below

1. To make Vol Au Vent: Remove frozen pastry from package. Let stand at room temperature 20 minutes, to thaw. Line baking sheet with brown

2. Unfold one sheet of pastry (two in a package). Place on lightly floured surface or pastry cloth; put an 8-inch round plate in the center; with sharp knife, cut around plate. Remove center round to prepared baking sheet; prick all over with fork; brush edge with water. Refrigerate. Reserve trimmings.

3. Repeat with second layer of pastry. In the center of the 8-inch round, place a 6-inch plate. Cut around plate. Remove outside ring; set on the outer edge of the bottom round. Place 6-inch round on baking sheet. This is for the lid.

4. Reroll trimmings into a 9-inch round. Place 8-inch plate in center; cut around edge. Place 6-inch plate in center; cut around edge. Wet edge of ring lightly with water; carefully place second ring on top of first ring.

5. Remove 6-inch pastry round, and place on top of the first 6-inch round, to make lid.

6. Repeat Step 3 to make another ring for the rim. Refreeze any leftover pastry, if desired.

7. Press dull edge of knife all around edge of ring, 1/2

inch apart, to make design.

8. With sharp knife, cut diamond shapes, 1 inch apart, on top of lid. Brush top lightly with egg yolk mixed with 1 teaspoon water. Also brush top of rim. Refrigerate 1 hour.

9. To bake: Preheat oven to 400F. Bake on middle shelf of oven 10 minutes; reduce oven to 350F. Bake 40 to 45 minutes longer, or until goldenbrown and crisp. (If top gets too brown, cover with

10. Remove to rack to cool slightly. Meanwhile, make Welsh Rabbit.

11. To serve: Fill center with Welsh Rabbit, place lid on top.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

#### **WELSH RABBIT**

2 tablespoons margarine 1 lb sharp Cheddar cheese, grated 1/2 cup beer 1 egg

1/2 teaspoon salt 1/2 teaspoon dry mustard Dash ground red pepper 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce

1. In medium saucepan, slowly heat margarine. Add cheese and beer. Cook over low heat, stirring frequently, until cheese melts. Remove from heat.

2. In small bowl, beat egg, salt, mustard, red pepper and Worcestershire. Gradually add to cheese mixture, stirring until well combined. Stir over low heat until mixture is heated through and smooth - about 5 minutes.

Note: To keep rabbit warm, turn into top part of double boiler. Let stand over hot water until ready to serve.

#### CHEDDAR-CHEESE-AND-VEGETABLE CHOWDER Pictured (pages 56-57)

4 tablespoons butter or margarine

1/4 cup finely chopped onion

1 cup chopped green pepper

1 cup pared, sliced carrot 1 cup pared, diced potato 1 pkg (10 oz) frozen peas

5 tablespoons allpurpose flour

2 cans (103/4-oz size) condensed chicken broth, undiluted

3 cups grated sharp natural Cheddar cheese (3/4 lb) 2 cups milk 1/4 teaspoon salt Dash pepper 1/2 cup croutons (optional) Chopped parsley

- 1. In hot butter in 3-quart saucepan, cook vegetables, covered and stirring occasionally, 20 to 25 minutes, or until tender.
- 2. Remove from heat; stir in flour; mix well. Cook 1 minute, stirring occasionally.
- 3. Add chicken broth to vegetable mixture. Bring to boiling, stirring constantly.
- 4. Gradually stir in cheese; cook over medium heat, stirring, until cheese has melted. Gradually add milk. Season with salt and pepper. Bring just to boiling, but do not boil.
- 5. Serve with croutons, sprinkled with the parsley. MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS

#### GREEK SPINACH-AND-CHEESE PIE

1/2 pkg (1-lb size) prepared phyllo- or strudel-pastry leaves (16 sheets, 12 by 15 inches)

1/4 cup butter or margarine

1/2 cup finely chopped

3 pkg (10-oz size) frozen chopped spinach. thawed and well drained

1/2 lb feta cheese, crumbled

1/4 cup chopped parsley 2 tablespoons chopped fresh dill 1 teaspoon salt

1/s teaspoon pepper 3/4 cup butter or margarine, melted

1. Preheat oven to 350F. Let pastry leaves warm to room temperature according to directions on label.

- 2.  $\ln \frac{1}{4}$  cup hot butter in medium skillet, sauté onion until golden about 5 minutes.
- 3. Add spinach; stir to combine with onion. Remove from heat.
- 4. In large bowl, beat eggs with rotary beater. With wooden spoon, stir in cheese, parsley, dill, salt, pepper and spinach-onion mixture; mix well.
- 5. Brush a 13-by-9-by-2-inch baking pan lightly with some of melted butter. In bottom of baking pan, layer 8 phyllo pastry leaves (see Note), one by one, brushing top of each with melted butter. Spread evenly with spinach mixture.
- 6. Cover with 8 more leaves, brushing each with butter; pour any remaining melted butter over top.
- 7. Using scissors, trim off any uneven edges of pastry. Cut through top pastry layer on diagonal; then cut in opposite direction, to form about nine 3-inch diamonds.
- $8.\,Bake\,30\,to\,35\,minutes,$  or until top crust is puffy and golden. Serve warm.

MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS

*Note:* Keep unused pastry leaves covered with damp paper towels, to prevent drying out.



#### VEGETABLE-AND-CHEESE CASSEROLE

1 small eggplant (1 lb)
3 zucchini (1 lb)
Salt
Boiling water
1/4 cup butter or
margarine
2 tablespoons salad oil

2 cups sliced onion 2 small tomatoes, sliced (3/4 lb) Pepper 1/2 lb Cheddar cheese.

grated (2 cups)

- 1. Wash eggplant; cut in half lengthwise; slice ½ inch thick. Scrub zucchini; slice diagonally ½ inch thick.
- 2. Preheat oven to 350F. Grease well a 10-inch shallow round or oval baking dish (about 2 inches deep).
- 3. In large skillet, layer zucchini and eggplant; add 2 teaspoons salt and 2 cups boiling water. Bring to boiling, covered; reduce heat and simmer, covered, 5 minutes. Drain well in colander; set aside.
- 4. In same skillet, in hot butter and oil, sauté onion until tender about 3 minutes.
- 5. In bottom of prepared casserole, layer half of onion, then half of eggplant, zucchini and tomato. Sprinkle with ½ teaspoon pepper and 1 cup grated cheese. Repeat layering rest of vegetables; sprinkle with ½ teaspoon pepper and remaining cheese.
- 6. Bake, covered tightly with foil, 30 minutes. Uncover; bake 5 minutes more to evaporate liquid.

  MAKES 6 TO 8 SERVINGS

### JOHN WAYNE'S CHEESE CASSEROLE

2 cans (4-oz size) green chilies, drained

1 lb Monterey Jack cheese, coarsely grated

grated

1 lb Cheddar cheese,
coarsely grated

4 egg whites

4 egg volks

undiluted
1 tablespoon all-purpose flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/8 teaspoon pepper
2 medium tomatoes.

evaporated milk,

2/3 cup canned

sliced

1. Preheat oven to 325F. Remove seeds from chilies, and dice.

2. In a large bowl, combine the grated cheeses and green chilies. Turn into a well-buttered, shallow 2-quart casserole (12 by 8 by 2 inches).

3. In large bowl, with electric mixer at high speed, beat egg whites just until stiff peaks form when beater is slowly raised.

4. In small bowl of electric mixer, combine egg yolks, milk, flour, salt and pepper; mix until well blended. 5. Using a rubber scraper, gently fold beaten whites

into egg-yolk mixture.

6. Pour egg mixture over cheese mixture in casserole; with fork, "ooze" it through the cheese.

7. Bake 30 minutes; remove from oven and arrange sliced tomatos, overlapping, around edge of casserole. Bake 30 minutes longer, or until a silver knife inserted in center comes out clean. Garnish with a sprinkling of chopped green chilies, if desired. MAKES 8 SERVINGS

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#### CHEESE-STUFFED PEPPERS

6 small green peppers, washed (11/2 lb) 1/2 lb sharp Cheddar cheese, in 1/4-inch

cubes
1/4 lb Swiss cheese, in
1/4-inch cubes

1/4 lb Gruyere cheese, in
1/4-inch cubes
1 medium tomato, cubed
1/2 teaspoon dried basil
leaves
1/4 teaspoon salt
Dash pepper

1. Preheat oven to 375F.

2. In boiling water (2 inches deep) in a 5-quart Dutch oven, parboil peppers until tender – 10 minutes.

3. Drain peppers; cut off tops; remove seeds. Place, standing upright, on lightly greased baking dish.

4. In medium bowl, combine three kinds of cheese; toss gently.

5. In small bowl, toss together cubed tomato, basil, salt and pepper.

6. Spoon tomato mixture into bottom of peppers, dividing evenly. Stuff peppers with cheeses, rounding tops.

7. Bake 20 minutes, or until hot and cheese is melted.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

#### BAKED CHEESE-AND-TOMATO FONDUE

2/3 cup soft margarine 1 clove garlic, crushed 1 teaspoon dry mustard 1 loaf (8 oz) Italian bread 3 cups grated Swiss

I loaf (8 oz) Italian bread 3 cups grated Swiss cheese (3/4 lb), or 11/2 cups grated Cheddar cheese and 11/2 cups grated Swiss cheese 11/2 teaspoons salt
1 teaspoon paprika
Dash pepper
1/3 cup unsifted allpurpose flour
3 cups milk
1 can (16 oz) stewed
tomatoes
3 eggs, beaten

grated Swiss chees 3 tablespoons grated onion

1. Make fondue day before serving: In small bowl, cream 1/3 cup margarine with the garlic and 1/2 teaspoon mustard until well blended.

2. Remove ends of bread; cut loaf into ½-inch-thick slices. Spread one side of each with butter mixture.

 $3. \, Line \, bottom \, and \, side \, of \, a \, 13 \text{-by-}9 \text{-by-}2 \text{-inch baking dish with some of bread, margarine side down.}$ 

4. In large bowl, combine cheese, onion, salt, paprika, pepper and remaining mustard; toss until well blended.

5. In medium saucepan, melt remaining margarine; remove from heat. Stir in flour. Gradually stir in milk; bring to boiling.

6. Stir in tomatoes. Add a little hot mixture to eggs, stirring. Pour back into saucepan, stirring.

7. Set aside ½ cup cheese mixture. In dish, alternate layers of remaining cheese mixture and remaining bread slices, margarine side up. Pour tomato sauce over all. Sprinkle with reserved cheese mixture.

8. Refrigerate, covered, overnight.

9. Preheat oven to 375F. Bake fondue 45 minutes, or until puffy and golden-brown on top.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

#### **OMELETTE PARISIENNE**

1/4 lb sliced bacon 1/8 lb natural Swiss cheese 6 eggs

1/4 teaspoon pepper 1 tablespoon cream 2 tablespoons snipped chives

1 tablespoon cold water 1/2 teaspoon salt

2 tablespoons butter or margarine

- 1. In 10- or 11-inch skillet, sauté bacon until crisp; drain on paper towels; crumble.
- 2. Meanwhile, grate Swiss cheese coarsely.
- 3. In medium bowl, with fork, beat eggs with water, salt and pepper until well mixed, not frothy. Stir in cream and half of bacon, cheese and chives.

4. Slowly heat skillet in which bacon was cooked. To test temperature: Sprinkle a small amount of cold water on skillet; water should sizzle and roll off in drops. Add butter; heat until it sizzles briskly – it should not brown.

5. Quickly turn egg mixture, all at once, into skillet. Cook over medium heat.

6. As omelet sets, run spatula around edge to loosen. Tilt pan to let uncooked portion run underneath. Continue loosening and tilting until omelet is almost dry on top and golden-brown underneath.

7. Sprinkle with remaining bacon, cheese and chives. Heat until cheese is slightly melted.

8. To turn out, loosen edge with spatula. Fold in thirds to edge of pan; tilt out onto plate.

MAKES 3 OR 4 SERVINGS

#### CECILIA'S OMELET, SPANISH STYLE

3 tablespoons salad oil 1½ lb potatoes, pared and finely chopped 11/2 teaspoons salt 1/4 teaspoon pepper 8 eggs

4 onions, peeled and finely chopped

1. In hot oil in heavy, 9-inch skillet, cook potato and onion, covered, over medium heat 20 to 30 minutes. Stir mixture frequently; it should be soft but not browned. Sprinkle with 1 teaspoon salt and  $\frac{1}{8}$  teaspoon pepper.

2. In medium bowl, with rotary beater, beat eggs with ½ cup water, ½ teaspoon salt, and ½ teaspoon pepper. Pour egg mixture over potato and onion in skillet, lifting edge of potato mixture all around, to let egg run under. Do this several times.

3. Cook, covered, over medium heat just until eggs are set – about 8 minutes. Loosen edge with spatula.

4. To serve, place a heated serving platter over top of skillet, and invert omelet onto platter.

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

#### **BROCCOLIFRITTATA**

1 pkg (10 oz) frozen chopped broccoli 3 tablespoons olive oil

1/2 cup thinly sliced onion

1/3 cup grated Parmesan cheese

2 tablespoons chopped pimiento

1 tablespoon chopped parsley 1 small clove garlic, crushed

1 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon pepper

1. Cook broccoli as package label directs. Drain.

2. Preheat oven to 350F. Heat oil in 10-inch heavy skillet with heat-resistant handle. Add onion; sauté until tender and golden-brown – about 5 minutes.

3. In large bowl, combine broccoli and remaining ingredients; with wire whisk or fork, beat until well blended. Turn into skillet with onion.

4. Cook over low heat, lifting from bottom with a spatula as the eggs set – 3 minutes.

5. Bake, uncovered, 10 minutes, or until top is set.

With spatula, loosen from bottom and around edge, and slide onto serving platter. Cut in wedges.

MAKES 4 TO 6 SERVINGS

#### BAKED MACARONI AND CHEESE WITH EGGS

2 cups elbow macaroni

1/4 cup butter or
margarine

1/4 cup all-purpose flour
1 teaspoon salt

1/4 cup chopped pimiento 1/4 cup chopped green pepper 2 cups grated Cheddar

1/e teaspoon pepper 1 teaspoon dry mustard 2 cups milk 2 cups grated Cheddar cheese 6 eggs

2 tablespoons chopped chives

1. Preheat oven to 375F. Cook macaroni as label directs; drain.

2. Meanwhile, melt butter in medium saucepan; remove from heat. Stir in flour, salt, pepper and mustard until smooth. Gradually stir in milk. Bring to boiling, stirring. Add pimiento and green pepper. Reduce heat and simmer 1 minute.

3. Stir in  $1\frac{1}{2}$  cups cheese and the macaroni. Pour into a 2-quart shallow baking dish. Make six holes, evenly spaced, in macaroni; slip egg in each. Sprinkle rest of cheese around eggs.

4. Bake 20 minutes, or until eggs are set. Sprinkle with chives.

Makes 6 SERVINGS

#### EGGS GOLDENROD WITH BROCCOLI

2 pkg (10-oz size) frozen broccoli spears Boiling water 1 teaspoon salt

1/2 teaspoon salt
1/8 teaspoon pepper
1/2 teaspoon dry mustard
2 cups milk
1/2 teaspoon

Eggs Goldenrod 6 hard-cooked eggs 1/4 cup butter or margarine 1/4 cup unsifted all-

purpose flour

Worcestershire sauce 2 tablespoons lemon juice

1. Cook broccoli in boiling water with 1 teaspoon salt as package label directs.

2. Meanwhile, **make Eggs Goldenrod:** Chop 2 egg yolks; set aside for garnish. Cut remaining eggs into quarters.

3. Melt butter in medium saucepan; remove from heat. Add flour, salt, pepper and mustard, stirring until smooth. Gradually stir in milk.

4. Bring to boiling, stirring. Reduce heat and simmer, stirring, until the mixture is thickened and smooth – about 3 minutes. Remove from heat.

5. Add Worcestershire and quartered eggs, except reserved yolks; mix well.

6. Drain broccoli well. Arrange on platter; sprinkle with lemon juice.

7. Pour eggs goldenrod over broccoli in a wide band; top with reserved yolk.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS



## ALPINE HERO SANDWICH Pictured (page 56)

1 loaf French bread, about 18 inches long 1/2 lb natural Swiss cheese 1 egg

1 egg yolk

1/2 cup milk 1/2 cup unsifted allpurpose flour 1 medium-size red onion, sliced

1. Preheat oven to 425F.

2. Cut a slice lengthwise from bread, removing top crust. With fork, scoop our soft bread, about 1 inch down, leaving bottom crust. Cut cheese into 8 cubes.

3. Combine egg and egg yolk; mix with fork.

4. Dip cheese cubes into milk, then roll in flour and finally dip into egg mixture.

5. Place cheese cubes, alternating with onion slices, in hollowed-out bread, placed on a cookie sheet. Brush outside of bread with some of milk; dust with flour and brush with rest of egg mixture.

6. Bake 15 to 20 minutes, or until cheese is melted and golden and bread is crusty. To serve, cut crosswise with a sharp knife. Serve hot.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

#### **GOLDEN BUCK**

1/2 lb Cheddar cheese,<br/>coarsely grated (2<br/>cups)2 teaspoons prepared<br/>mustard<br/>1/4 teaspoon salt2 eggs1/2 teaspoon salt1/2 cup milkDash ground red pepper2 tablespoons butter or<br/>margarine6 eggs<br/>6 slices white bread

1. In top of double boiler, combine cheese, 2 eggs, milk, butter, mustard, salt and red pepper. Cook over simmering water, stirring frequently, until cheese is melted and sauce is smooth. Remove from heat, but keep over hot water.

2. Poach the 6 eggs as directed in recipe for Poached Eggs, on page 62; toast bread.

3. To serve: Spoon about 2 tablespoons sauce on each slice of toast; top with a poached egg. Spoon any remaining sauce over eggs. Garnish with parsley, if desired.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

#### POACHED EGGS AND TOMATOES

4 slices bacon, diced 1/2 cup finely chopped onion 1 can (1 lb) Italian tomatoes, drained

Salt Pepper

Margarine 2 tablespoons allpurpose flour 1 cup milk 1 cup grated Cheddar

cheese Dash paprika 8 eggs

2 tablespoons fresh bread crumbs, tossed with 1 tablespoon

melted margarine

1. Sauté bacon in skillet until crisp. Lift out bacon with slotted spoon; drain on paper towels.

2. In 2 tablespoons bacon fat in same skillet, sauté onion until tender – about 5 minutes. Stir in tomatoes, 1 teaspoon salt and ½ teaspoon pepper; cook, stirring, about ten minutes.

3. Meanwhile, melt 1 tablespoon margarine; stir in the flour; then add milk. Bring to boiling, stirring; add ½ cup cheese, ¼ teaspoon salt, dash pepper and the paprika. Cook, stirring, until cheese is melted. Remove from heat.

4. Meanwhile, poach eggs as directed in recipe for Poached Eggs, below. Pour tomato sauce into a 1½-quart shallow baking dish. Carefully arrange poached eggs evenly on top of sauce. Spoon cheese sauce over and around eggs. Sprinkle with crumbs, rest of cheese and the bacon. Run under broiler a few minutes, to brown slightly.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS

#### **POACHED EGGS**

In shallow pan or skillet, bring water (about 1 inch deep) to boiling point. Reduce heat to simmer. Break each egg into a saucer; quickly slip egg into water. Cook, covered, 3 to 5 minutes. Lift out of water with slotted pancake turner. Drain well on paper towels.

#### SCRAMBLED EGGS, SUNDAY STYLE

4 individual brioches (from bakery)

Dash pepper 2 tablespoons margarine 1 pkg (3 oz) chive cream cheese, cut in 1/2-inch

cubes

Scrambled Eggs 7 eggs 1/4 cup milk

1/4 cup milk Chopped parsley or

1/2 teaspoon salt chives

1. Preheat oven to 350F. Heat brioches on cookie sheet while preparing eggs.

2. **Make Scrambled Eggs:** In medium bowl, combine eggs, milk, salt and pepper; with rotary beater, beat just until combined.

3. Heat margarine in a large skillet. Pour in egg mixture; cook over low heat. As eggs start to set on bot-

tom, gently lift cooked portion with spatula to form flakes, letting uncooked portion flow to bottom of pan.

4. Add cheese; cook until the eggs are moist and shiny but no longer runny.

5. Cut off tops of brioches; set aside. With fork, scoop out soft centers of each brioche.

6. Spoon scrambled eggs into brioches; sprinkle with parsley; replace brioche tops.

MAKES 4 SERVINGS

## EGGS MORNAY WITH FRESH-TOMATO SAUCE

Fresh-Tomato Sauce

2 tablespoons olive or salad oil

1 clove garlic, crushed 1/2 teaspoon dried basil leaves

3 medium-size ripe tomatoes, cut into thin wedges 1/2 teaspoon salt

4 soft-cooked eggs (see Note)

2 slices natural Swiss cheese, halved 5 slices buttered toast

1. **Make Fresh-Tomato Sauce.** In hot oil in large skillet, sauté garlic and basil, stirring, several minutes. Add tomatoes and salt; cook slightly, just until tomatoes are heated through.

2. Meanwhile, gently remove shells from eggs, being careful not to break whites. Wrap each egg in one-half slice of cheese.

3. Divide tomato sauce into four shallow au-gratin dishes (about 6 inches). Arrange an egg in sauce in each dish.

4. Run under broiler, about 5 inches from heat, 5 minutes, or until cheese is melted and golden.

5. Cut toast in quarters, on diagonal. Place the quarters in each dish.

Makes 4 Servings

Note: To soft-cook eggs, cover eggs with water to an inch above them; bring rapidly to a boil. Take pan off heat; cover; let stand 4 minutes. Cool under running water, to prevent further cooking.

#### **EGG FOO YUNG**

1 teaspoon soy sauce

1 teaspoon dark molasses

1 teaspoon cider vinegar

1 tablespoon cornstarch 1 can (13<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> oz) chicken

broth

1 cup slivered cooked pork, 1½ inches long, ½ inch wide

1 cup canned bean sprouts, drained

1/4 cup slivered green pepper

1/4 cup chopped pimiento or red pepper

1 cup shredded lettuce 1/4 cup thinly sliced onion 6 eggs, slightly beaten

1/2 teaspoon salt Salad oil 1. In small saucepan, combine soy sauce, molasses, vinegar and cornstarch, stirring until smooth.

2. Then gradually stir in chicken broth; over direct heat, bring to boiling, stirring. Reduce heat, and simmer 10 minutes. Sauce will be thickened and translucent. Keep warm over hot water.

3. In large bowl, combine cooked pork, bean sprouts, green pepper, pimiento, lettuce and onion. Add eggs and salt, stirring just until combined.

4. Heat 1 tablespoon oil in small skillet. Add egg mixture, ½ cup at a time (as for pancakes).

5. Sauté, over high heat, turning once, just until browned on both sides. Remove, and keep warm. Repeat until egg mixture is used, adding more oil to skillet as necessary. Arrange on hot platter. Pour some of hot sauce over them. Pass rest.

MAKES 4 SERVINGS



#### SPINACH CRÊPES

#### Crêpe Batter

1 cup milk

4 eggs

2 tablespoons salad oil

1/2 teaspoon salt

1 teaspoon sugar

3/4 cup unsifted all-

purpose flour

Salad oil

#### Creamed Spinach

3 pkg (10-oz size) frozen chopped spinach 2 tablespoons butter or margarine

1/3 cup finely chopped

3 tablespoons allpurpose flour 1 cup half-and-half

1 teaspoon salt

1/8 teaspoon white

pepper

1/8 teaspoon ground

nutmeg

#### **Cheese Sauce**

1/4 cup butter or margarine 1/4 cup unsifted allpurpose flour 1/2 teaspoon salt Dash pepper 3/4 teaspoon dry mustard

11/2 cups milk

1/4 lb sharp Cheddar cheese, grated (1 cup)

1. Day before or several hours ahead, **make Crêpe Batter:** In medium bowl, combine ingredients for batter. Beat with rotary beater until well blended.

2. Refrigerate, covered, several hours or overnight.
3. Next day, make crêpes: Heat 8-inch skillet (measured across the top) over medium heat until a drop of water sizzles when dropped on it. Brush pan lightly with salad oil. Pour ½ cup batter into skillet, tilting pan so batter covers bottom completely.

4. Cook until top is dry and bottom lightly browned; turn and brown other side. Turn out on wire rack to

cool. Continue cooking until all batter is used. Stack cooled crêpes between waxed paper. Makes 10 seven-inch crêpes.

5. **Make Creamed Spinach:** Cook spinach as label directs. Drain very well, pressing out excess liquid in colander; drain on paper towels. In 2 tablespoons hot butter in saucepan, over medium heat, sauté onion 5 minutes.

6. Remove from heat. Stir in 3 tablespoons flour. Gradually stir in half-and-half. Bring to boiling, stirring. Add drained spinach, 1 teaspoon salt, the white pepper and nutmeg; cook 3 minutes, stirring.

7. **Make Cheese Sauce:** In medium saucepan, heat butter just until melted; remove from heat. Add flour, salt, pepper and mustard; stir until smooth. Add milk slowly, stirring constantly. Return to heat.

8. Over medium heat, bring to boil, stirring constantly. Reduce heat; simmer 1 minute. Add grated cheese; stir over low heat just until cheese is melted. Remove from heat. (You should have 2 cups.)

9. Preheat oven to 350F. Spoon ½ cup filling on center of each crêpe; fold two opposite sides over filling. Arrange in shallow baking dish, seam side down.

10. Spoon cheese sauce over crêpes. Bake 15 minutes.

 $11. \ Place \ under \ broiler, 6 \ in ches \ from \ heat, just \ until golden-brown.$ 

MAKES 8 SERVINGS

#### **BAKED POTATOES PAYSANNE**

6 large baking potatoes 3/4 cup butter or margarine 1/2 cup milk

1/4 teaspoon pepper 6 slices Cheddar or Monterey Jack cheese

1 teaspoon salt

1 cup grated Cheddar or Monterey Jack cheese (4 oz)

1. Preheat oven to 425F.

2. Scrub potatoes; dry well. Prick skin with fork. Bake potatoes, right on rack of oven, 60 to 70 minutes, or until tender.

3. Remove a thin horizontal slice from top of each baked potato. Gently scoop out inside of potato, leaving skin intact.

4. Combine scooped-out potato with butter, milk, grated cheese, salt and pepper; beat with wooden spoon until fluffy. Use to refill potato shells, mounding high. Top each with a slice of cheese.

5. Bake 15 minutes, or until cheese is melted and potato golden.

MAKES 6 SERVINGS



## CHEESE-SCALLOPED POTATOES AND CARROTS

Boiling water
2 teaspoons salt
2 lb potatoes, pared and
thinly sliced (about 5
cups)
11/2 cups sliced onion
5 medium carrots, pared

11/2 cups sliced onion 5 medium carrots, pared and diagonally sliced 1/4 inch thick (2 cups)

#### Cheese Sauce

3 tablespoons butter or margarine

2 tablespoons allpurpose flour 1 teaspoon salt 1/8 teaspoon pepper Dash ground red pepper 11/2 cups milk 11/2 cups grated sharp Cheddar cheese

- 1. Preheat oven to 375F. Lightly grease a  $2^{1/2}$ -quart, shallow baking dish.
- 2. In 2 cups boiling water in large skillet, cook 2 teaspoons salt, potato, onion and carrot, covered, 5 minutes, or just until partially tender. Drain.
- 3. **Make Cheese Sauce:** In small saucepan, melt butter; remove from heat; stir in flour, salt, pepper and red pepper; stir in milk, blending well.
- 4. Over medium heat, bring just to boiling, stirring, until thickened and smooth. Stir in 1 cup cheese; cook, stirring, over low heat until cheese is melted.
- 5. In prepared casserole, layer half the potato, onion and carrot; top with half of cheese sauce; repeat with other half of vegetables and sauce. Sprinkle top with remaining cheese.
- $6\,.$  Bake, covered with foil, 20 minutes, or until potato is tender when pierced with fork. If desired, uncover top during last  $10\,\text{minutes}$  of baking to brown top

MAKES 6 SERVINGS



#### SWISS-CHEESE CUSTARD

4 slices bacon, diced 6 eggs 2 cups milk 1 teaspoon salt

1/8 teaspoon pepper

11/2 cups grated natural Swiss cheese 3 tablespoons grated Parmesan cheese

- 1. Preheat oven to 350F. Lightly grease six individual soufflé dishes.
- 2. Cook bacon until crisp; drain on paper towels.
- 3. In medium bowl, beat eggs slightly; stir in milk, salt, pepper, grated Swiss and 2 tablespoons Parmesan cheese. Turn into soufflé dishes. Sprinkle top of each with bacon and a little more grated Parmesan cheese.
- 4. Place in a pan of hot water 1 inch deep. Bake 30 minutes, or until set the tip of sharp knife inserted in edge comes out clean. Serve warm.

  MAKES 6 SERVINGS

#### **EGGS FLORENTINE**

2 tablespoons butter or margarine 1 tablespoon finely chopped onion 1½ tablespoons allpurpose flour 1¼ teaspoon salt

1/4 teaspoon salt
Dash pepper
Dash ground nutmeg
1 cup milk

1/4 cup grated Swiss or Parmesan cheese 1 pkg (10 oz) frozen chopped spinach, thawed and well-drained 4 eggs Grated Parmesan cheese

- 1. In hot butter in medium-size, heavy saucepan, sauté onion, stirring, until golden about 5 minutes. Remove from heat.
- 2. Add flour, salt, pepper and nutmeg; stir until smooth. Add milk, a small amount at a time, stirring after each addition. Return to heat.
- 3. Over medium heat, bring to boiling, stirring constantly; reduce heat, and simmer 3 minutes, stirring. Add ½ cup grated cheese to sauce in saucepan, stirring constantly. Cook, stirring, over low heat until cheese is melted; do not boil. To keep sauce hot, cover and place over hot water.
- 4. Meanwhile, cook spinach as package directs; drain well.
- 5. Also poach eggs, page 62.
- 6. Combine cheese sauce with spinach; mix well. Turn into a 1-quart shallow baking dish. Arrange poached eggs on top. Sprinkle top with 1 tablespoon grated cheese. Run under broiler a few minutes, to melt cheese.

  MAKES 4 SERVINGS

## WEIGHTS, MEASURES, AND COOKING TEMPERATURES

## A HANDY METRIC CONVERSION TABLE

To Change inches	Into centimeters	Multiply By 2.5	To Change centimeters	Into inches	Multiply By .4
ounces pounds teaspoons tablespoons fluid ounces cups pints quarts	grams kilograms milliliters milliliters milliliters liters liters	28 .45 5 15 30 .24 .47 95	grams kilograms milliliters milliliters milliliters liters liters	ounces pounds teaspoons tablespoons fluid ounces cups pints quarts	.035 2.2 .2 .067 .033 4.2 2.1 1.06
gallons	liters	3.8	liters	gallons	.26

## METRIC EQUIVALENTS FOR U.S. COOKING MEASURES

U.S. Measure	Metric Equivalent			U.S. Measure			Metric Equivalent		
1/4 teaspoon	=	1.25	milliliters	1	ounce	=	28.35	grams	
½ teaspoon	=	2.5	milliliters	2	ounces	==	56.7	grams	
1 teaspoon	=	5	milliliters	4	ounces	=	113.4	grams	
2 teaspoons	=	10	milliliters	8	ounces	=	226.8	grams	
3 teaspoons	=	15	milliliters	16	ounces	=	453.59	grams	
1 tablespoon	=	15	milliliters	1/4	peund	=		kilogram	
2 tablespoons	=	30	milliliters	1/2	pound	=	.23	kilogram	
I fluid ounce		29.5	milliliters	3/4	pound	=	.34	kilogram	
2 fluid ounces	=	59	milliliters	1	pound	-		kilogram	
4 fluid ounces	=	118	milliliters	2	pounds	=	.90	kilogram	
8 fluid ounces	=	236	milliliters	4	pounds	=		kilograms	
16 fluid ounces	=	472	milliliters	6	pounds	=		kilograms	
1 cup	=	.24	liter	8	pounds	=		kilograms	
2 cups	=	.47	liter	10	pounds	=	4.54	kilograms	

U.S. COOKIN	G MEASURES	COOKING	TEMPERA	ATURES	OVEN	TEMP	ERATU	RES
3 teaspoons 2 tablespoons 8 fluid ounces 2 cups	= 1 tablespoon = 1 fluid ounce = 1 cup = 1 pint	Heat Very Slow Slow Moderate Hot	Fahrenheit 250-275 300-325 350-375 400-425	Celsius 121–135 149–163 177–191 204–218	°F 200 225 250	°C 93 107 121 135	°F 375 400 425	°C 191 204
4 quarts 16 ounces	= 1 quart = 1 gallon = 1 pound = 1 foot	Very Hot Broil	450–475 500–525	232–246 260–274	300 325 350	149	475 500	246 260 274

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